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JAMES BLAIR SCHOOL
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Foreword

"The seed that is to grow must lose itself as seed;
and they that creep may graduate, through chrysalis, to wings:---"
"I have looked about me from childhood, to find truth;
I have studied many lands, many strange peoples,
and mined much of value from experience;
But my search is still being pursued...its object not yet wholly found."

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Dedication

The face of this educator is looking with hope into the future of our new school. In this face is reflected the quietness and the modesty and the steadfastness which we all respect in her.

At one time or another, every James Blair Senior girl has approached the guidance office to seek the advice of a teacher loved and respected by all. She has assisted all of the Senior girls in choosing their subjects, their colleges, their vocations. Her help in guiding the Girls' Student Body has produced many interesting discussions and programs of action which have solved the problems recognized by the girls.

Her influence has not been felt by Senior girls alone, the boys and girls together have come under her guidance and inspiration because of association with her in several roles.

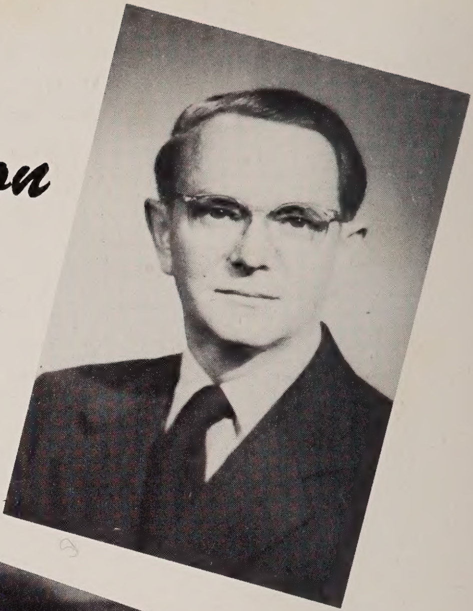
As co-sponsor of the Senior Class, directing us through difficulties, assisting us to begin to create the traditions of a new school, advising us on many of our moves, guiding us through ceremonies and activities which we will remember always.

As yearbook sponsor, pulling together the loose ends, in order that we might produce a written memory of our high school experiences.

As a teacher, preparing some of us for college and broadening the perspective with which all of us are approaching full maturity.

Therefore, we, the first graduating class of the James Blair High School, do with great pride and respect, dedicate this first yearbook to one who we know will in future years endear herself even more to our student body... Miss Mildred Matier.

Administration Staff



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MR. BYRD

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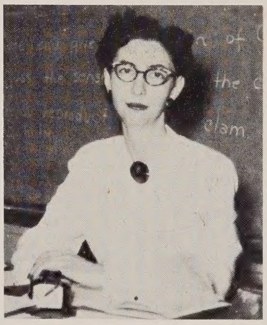

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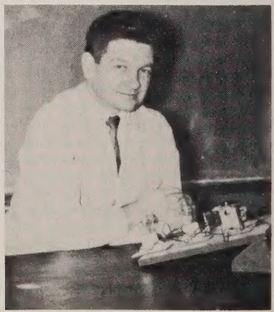

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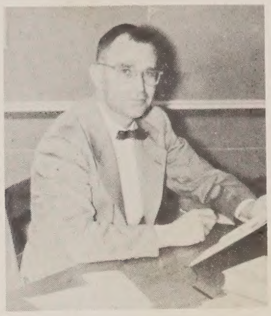
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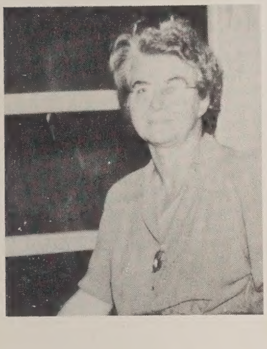
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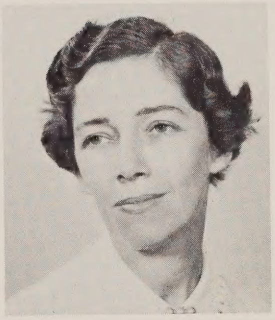
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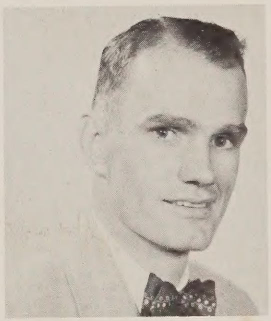
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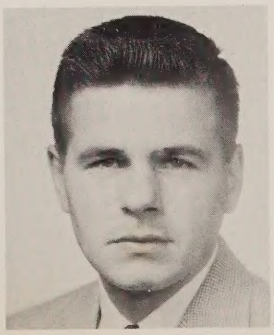


Cafeteria Staff

Cafeteria Manager
Mrs. Lavenia Matheny

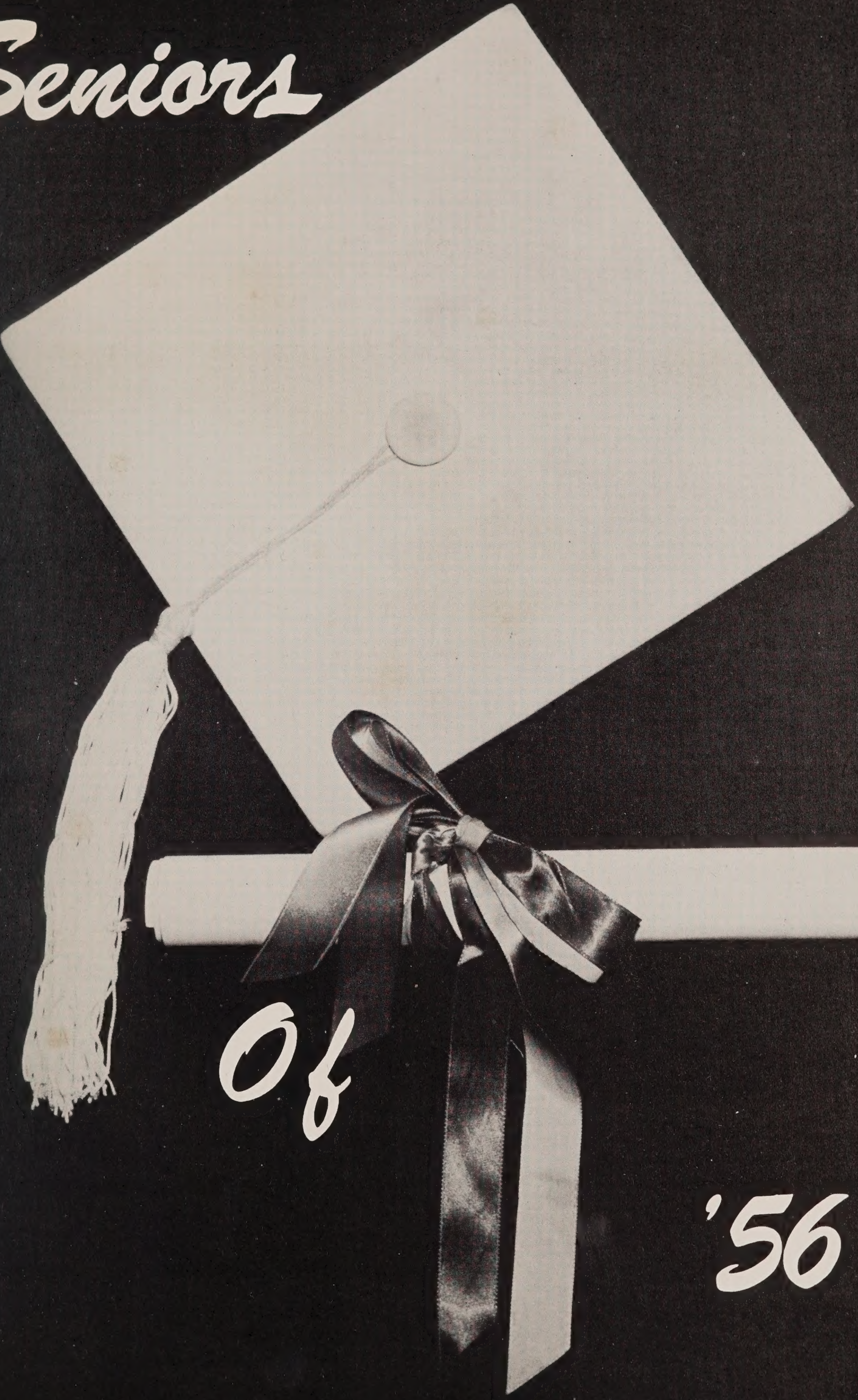
LEFT TO RIGHT: Mrs. Hazel H. Lee, Mrs. Lillian E. Davis, Mrs. Eleanor Honeycutt, Mrs. Virginia W. Clariborne, Mrs. Louise D. Batkins, Mrs. Josephine T. Moore, Mrs. Evelyn L. Davis.

Maintenance Staff

Supervisor of Maintenance
Mr. John Stoddard

LEFT TO RIGHT: William Briggs, John Faulcon. NOT SHOWN: Ethel Cooke, Milton Cooke.

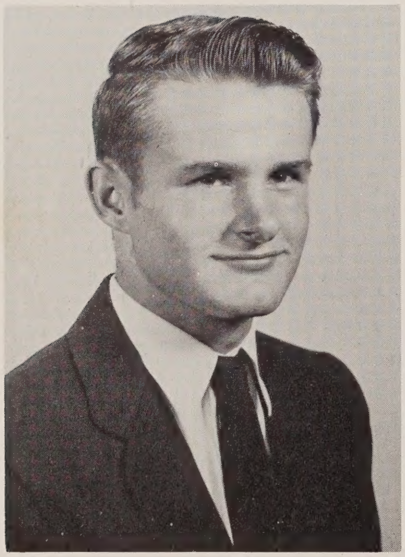
Seniors Of '56



Seniors

JACQUELINE LOUISE ALLISON "Jackie"
S. C. A. Representative 9; Youth Center Board 9, 10, 11; Chorus 9, 10; Advertising Manager of Newspaper 11; Junior Member of Yearbook Staff 11; Dramatics 12; Editor-in-Chief of Yearbook; S. I. P. A. 12.

PENNY DORRIDA ANDERSON "Penny"
Closter High School: Newspaper Staff 9; Booster Club 9, 10, 11; Tri-Hi-Y 9, 11; Girls' Athletic Association 9, 10, 11; Student Council 11; Dramatics 10, 11; Basketball 10; Honor Roll 9, 10. James Blair: Honor Society 12, Cheerleading 12; Class Treasurer 12; Feature Editor of Yearbook 12; French Club 12; Dramatics 12.



RUSSELL JEROME AUSTIN "Jerry"
Football 11, 12.

JULIA ANN BAGANAKIS "Julie"
Dramatics 10; Journalism 11; Chorus 12; Nursing Club 12.

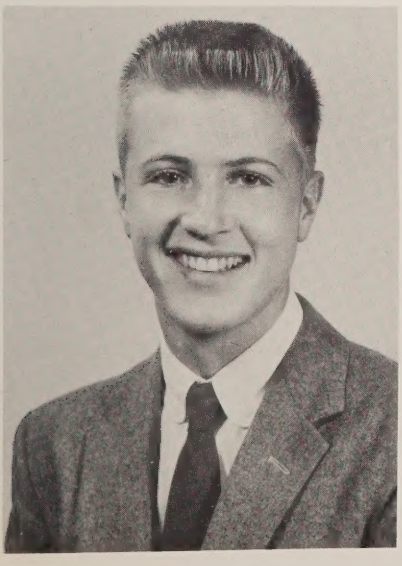
WILLIAMSBURG SHOP

Class Of '56

DAVID GEORGE BISSET "Dave"
Frankfurt American High School: S. C. A. Representative 9; Basketball 9; Co-captain of Track Team 9; Football 10. Matthew Whaley: Monogram Club 11; Chorus 11; Basketball 11; Baseball 11. James Blair: Monogram Club 12; Basketball 12; Baseball 12; Yearbook Staff 12; Newspaper Staff 12.

SHIRLEY ARDELLE BAKER "Baker"
Chorus 9; Class Treasurer 9; Library Assistant 9; Typing Club 10; Dramatics 10; Cheerleading 9, 11, 12; Co-captain of Cheerleaders 11, 12; Basketball 11; Dramatics 12; Football Queen 12; Monogram Club 12; Sports Editor of Yearbook 12; Sports Editor of Newspaper 12: Attendant at May Festival 11; Attendant at President's Ball 11; Ring Committee 11.

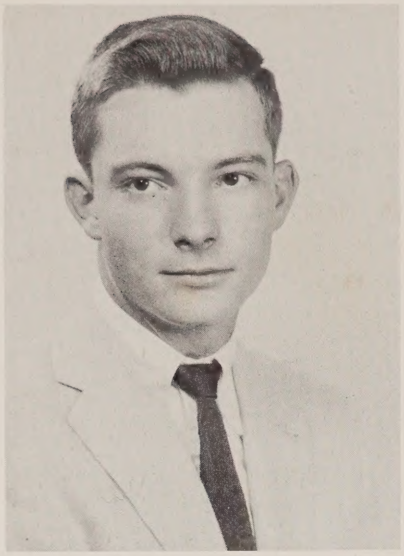
PEGGY ANN BOUGHTON "Peggy"
Toano High School: Cheerleading 9, 10; Glee Club 9, 10. Matthew Whaley: Monogram Club 11; D.E. Treasurer 11; Ring Commitee 11. James Blair: Monogram 12; Cheerleading 12; President of V. O. T. 12.



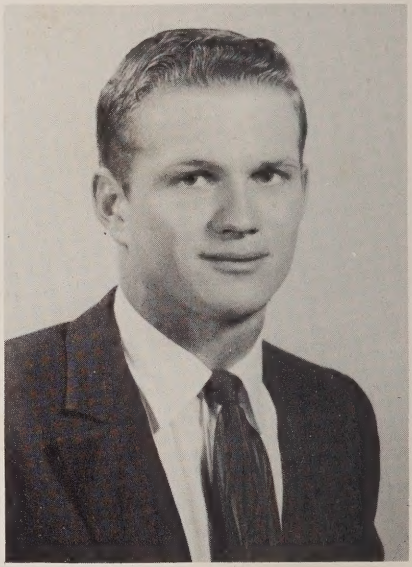
ROBERT BERTRAM BOSWELL "Bobby"
Reading Club 9, 10; J. V. Baseball 10, 11; Current Events Club 11, 12; Newspaper Staff 12; Dramatics 12.

CASEYS', INCORPORATED

Seniors

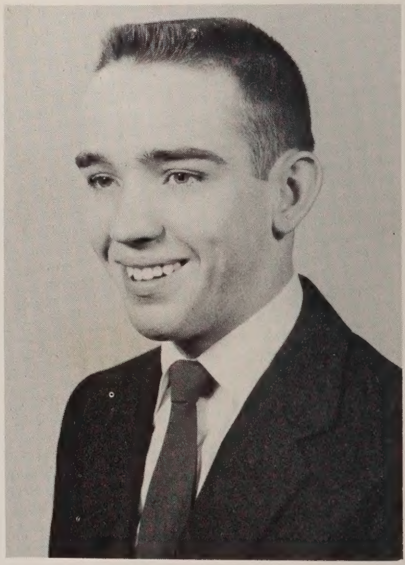


CARTER DOVE BROOKS "Carter"
Science Club 9; J. V. Basketball 9; Safety Patrol 9; Current Events Club 10; Football 10, 11; Baseball 11, 12; Monogram Club 11, 12; Typing Club 11; Student Council 12; S. C. A: Representative 12; Nominating Committee 12; Bulletin Board Committee 12; Co-chairman of Magazine Campaign 12; French Conversation Club 12.



SHIRLEY MYERS CARPENTER "Shirley"
Class President 9, 10; Student Council 9, 10, 11, 12; Football 9, 10, 11, 12; Band 9, 10; Monogram Club 10, 11, 12; Investigating Committee 10, 11; District and State S. C. A. Convention 10, 11, 12; Vice-President of S. C. A. 11; Chairman of Bulletin Board Committee 11; Nominated for Vice-President of State S. C. A. 11; Track 11; President of S. C. A. 12.

MARJORIE BYRD CLEMENTS "Margie"
Chorus 9, 10; Library Assistant 10; Cheerleading 10, 11; Office Assistant 10; Dance Band Vocalist 10; Typing Editor of Newspaper 11; Monogram Club 11, 12; Monitor 11; D. E. Secretary 12; F. B. L. A. 12; D. E. C. A. 12; V. O. T. 12.

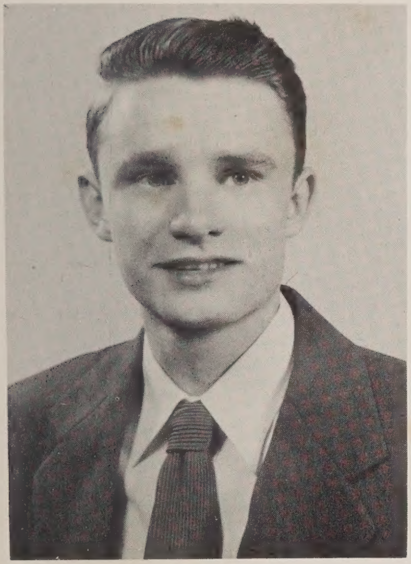


WILLIAM MAYBEE CONNELLY "Bill"
J. V. Basketball 9; J. V. Football 10; Reading Club 9; Science Club 10; D. E. 11; Track 12; Monogram Club 12; 13 Club.

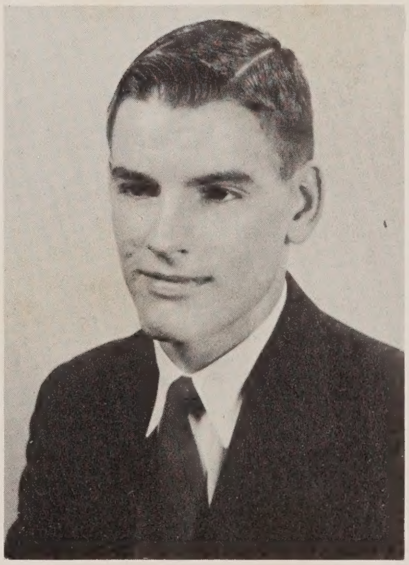
SAGER JEWELERS

Class Of '56

PAUL WARREN DRAKE "Warren"
Hampton High School: J. V. Football 9; Basketball 9; Reading Club 9; Current Events Club 10. Matthew Whaley: Astronomy Club 10; J.V. Baseball 11; Basketball 11. James Blair: D.E. 12; Youth Center Board 12.



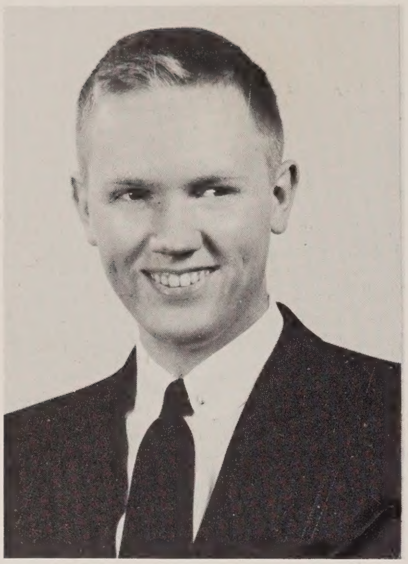
EDWARD LERANZO DANLEY, JR. "Ed"
Science Club 9; Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Dance Band 9, 10, 11, 12.



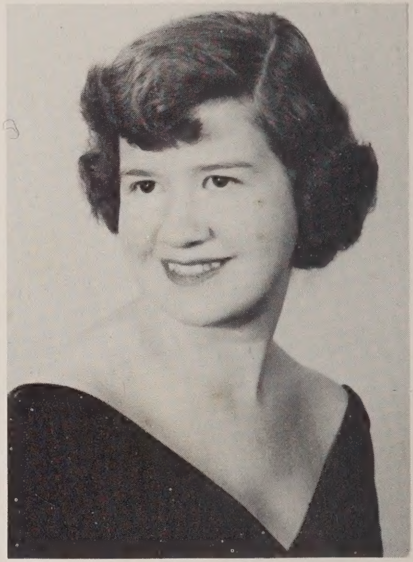
FRANK TURNER EDWARDS, JR. "Frank"
Chorus 9; Football 9, 10, 11, 12; Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Dance Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Current Events Club 9, 10; Basketball 10, 11, 12; Monogram Club 10, 11, 12; All State Band 10; Baseball 11, 12; Vice-President of Boys' Advisory Council 12; 12 Club.

FAYE LYONEL DULA "Faye"
Chorus 9, 10, 11; Colonialettes 11; Dance Band Vocalist 11; Cheerleading 11, 12; Bulletin Board Committee 11; Nominating Committee 11; Co-circulation Manager of Newspaper 12; Monogram Club 12.

Seniors

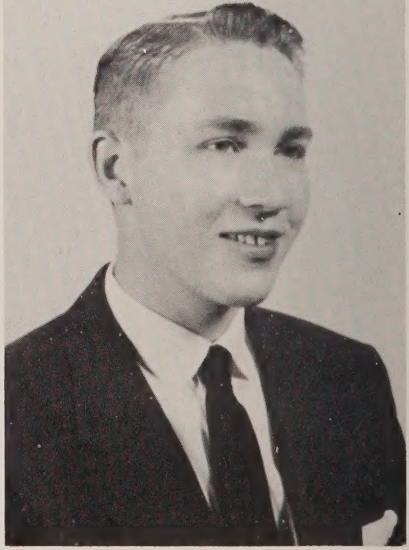


NEAL EDWARDS FLETCHER, JR. "Neal"
S.C.A. 9; Science Club 10; Ring Committee 11; Yearbook Staff 12; Trainer of Football Team 12.



EVELYN DALE GARDNER "Dale"
Toano High School: Vice-President of Class 9,10; Library Club 9; Softball 9,10; Beta Club 10; Glee Club 10; Basketball 10. James Blair: V.O.T. 12; F.H.A. 12; Ring Committee 11; 13 Club.

PHYLLIS ANN GARRETT "Phyllis"
Chorus 9, 10; Basketball 10; Hockey 10; Monogram Club 10,11,12; Secretary of D.E. 11; Ring Committee 11; F.B.L.A. 12.



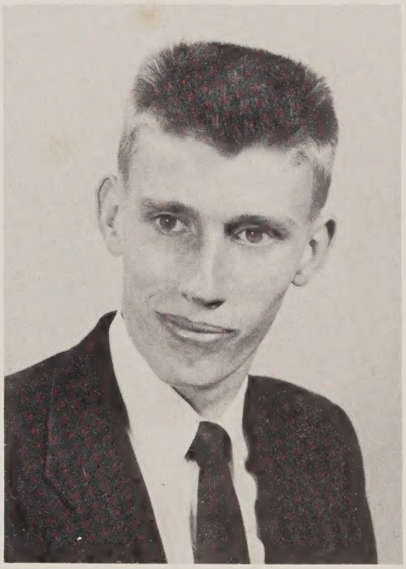
DONALD LEE GILMORE "Don"
Vice-President of Class 9,10; Chorus 9,11; Dance Band 9,10, 11,12; Band 9,10,11,12; Class President 11; S.C.A. 11; All State Band 11.

COLLEGE PHARMACY DRUG STORE

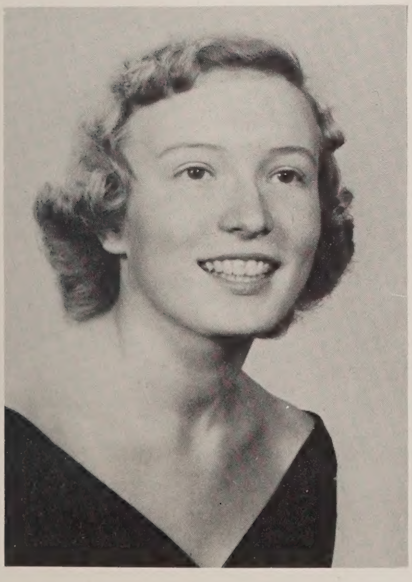
Class Of '56

ELIZABETH JANE HARRISON "Liz"
Chorus 9, 10, 11, 12; V.O.T. 12; F.B.L.A. 12; Nursing Club 12.

ELIZABETH ANN GREEN "Liz"
Matthew Whaley: 4-H Club 9; Chorus 10; Office Assistant 10; Library Assistant 11. Roanoke Rapids High School: Girls' Athletic Club 10, 11; F. B. L. A. 11. James Blair: D. E. 12; V. O. T. 12; Nursing Club 12; Dramatics 12.



JAMES EDWARD HAZELWOOD "Jim"
Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Shop 9, Reading Club 9.



KERTU HAVOLA "Trudy"
Matthew Whaley: Chorus 9; Monogram Club 10; Girls' Advisory Council 10; Typing Club 10. Olympia High School: F.H.A. 11; News Book Staff 11; Correspondence Club 11. James Blair: Hockey Co-manager 12; French Club 12; Dramatics 12; Monogram Club 12.

CLAUDE JONES FLORIST
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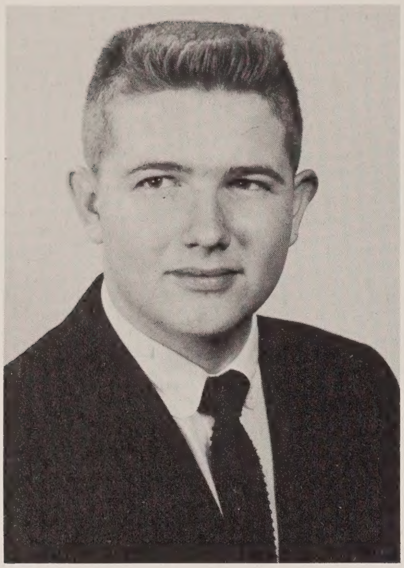


Seniors

HUGH WEBSTER HITCHENS, JR. "Hugh"
Football 10;11; S.C.A. 11, 12; Nominating Committee 11; D.E. 12; President of Boys' Student Body 12; Civic Club 12; Bulletin Board Committee 12.

BETTY SUE HOCKADAY "Betty Sue"
Toano: Basketball 9, 10; Softball 9, 10; May Day Princess 9; Glee Club 9, 10; Home Economics Club 10; Secretary of Class 10. Matthew Whaley: Vice President of Library Club 11. James Blair; Circulation Manager of Yearbook 12; Vice President of V.O.T. 12; Monogram Club 12.

BARBARA ANN JACOBS "Babs"
Secretary of Class 9, 11; Representative to Girls' Advisory Council 9; Basketball 9; Band 9, 10; Chorus 9, 10; Cheerleading 10, 11; Colonialettes 11, 12; Football Queen 11; Attendant at President's Ball 11; Bulletin Board Committee 11, 12; Monogram Club 11, 12; Secretary of Monogram Club 11; Drum Majorette 11, 12; Orientation Committee 12; S. C. A. Representative 12; Handbook Committee 12; Vice President of Girls' Student Body 12; Football Attendant 12; 13 Club.

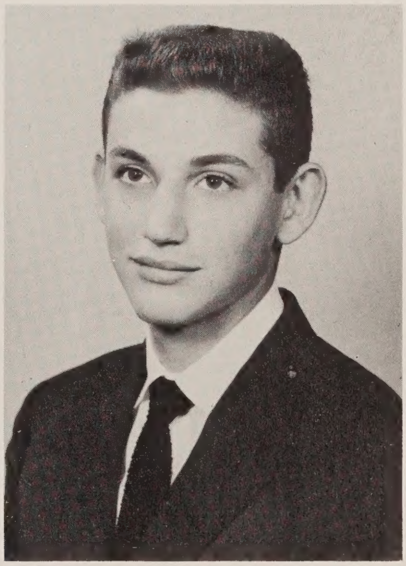
FRANCES MARIE JACOBSON "Frances"
Toano High School: Glee Club 9, 10; Cheerleading 10; Beta Club 10. Matthew Whaley: Chorus 11; National Honor Society 11. James Blair: National Honor Society 12; F.H.A. 12; V.O.T. 12; 13 Club.

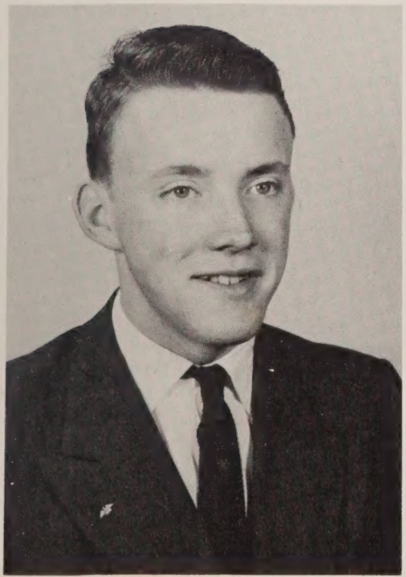
Class Of '56

BETTY LOU JUMP "Betty"
Chorus 9, 10; Cheerleading 10, 12; Monogram Club 11, 12; Youth Center Board 9, 10, 11, 12; Bulletin Board Committee 12; Yearbook Staff 12; V.O.T. 11.

JUDITH ELAINE JONES "Judy"
Toano High School: Glee Club 9; Library Club 9; Class President 10; Cheerleading 10. Matthew Whaley: Monogram Club 11; D.E. 11. James Blair: Monogram Club 12; V.O.T. 12; F.H.A. 12; Secretary of Nurses' Club 12; Sports Club 12.

PETER LEWIS LeCOMPTE "Lew"
Youth Center Board 9, 10; J.V. Basketball 10; Track Team 11; J.V. Football 11; Band 9, 10, 11, 12.





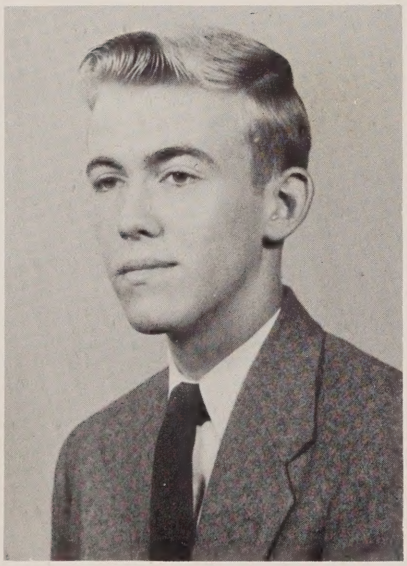
JEAN MICHEL LECLERQ "Jean"
Exchange Student From Lisle, France.

IRON BOUND RESTAURANT

Seniors

JOHANNE RAILEY MALLORY "Jo"
Choctawatchec: Cheerleading 9; Chorus 9. Matthew Whaley: Monogram Club 11. James Blair: Monogram Club 12.

WILLIAM LEROY MALLORY "Bill"
Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Dance Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Co-Captain of Football Team 12; Basketball 10, 11; Baseball 10, 11; Monogram Club 10, 11, 12; President of Monogram Club 12; Track 12.



BENJAMIN CLYDE McCARY, JR. "Ben"
J.V. Baseball 10; Reading Club 10; Yearbook Staff 11; Newspaper Staff 12; Youth Center Board 12; Co-chairman of Magazine Campaign 12; Dramatics Club 12.

BARBARA ANN MEADOWS "Barbara Ann"
Toano High School: Class Treasurer 9, 10; Glee Club 9, 10; Beta Club 10, 11; Cheerleading 10. Matthew Whaley: D. E. 11; Monogram Club 11, 12; James Blair: V.O.T. 12.

EXCHANGE CLUB OF
WILLIAMSBURG

Class Of '56

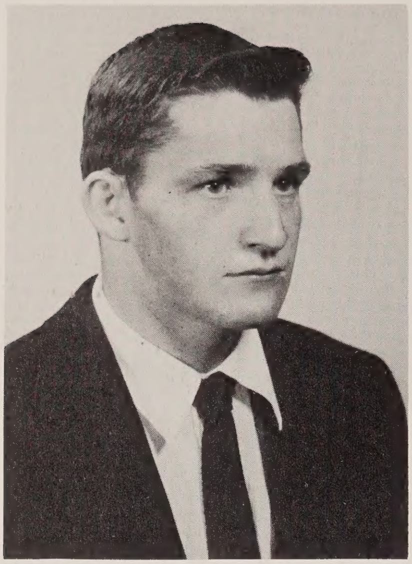
ANN CHRISTINE MILLER "Anne"
State College High School: Dancing Club 9; Cheerleading 9; Youth Council 9; Drum and Bugle Corp 9; Religious Education 10; Bowling Club 10; Glee Club 10. James Blair: French Club 12.

DOROTHY JANE MEADOWS "Jane"
Library Assistant 9, 10; Chorus 9, 10, 11; Elementary Assistant 11; Hockey Squad 11; Girls' Advisory Council 12.

DEBORAH STEUART MYERS "Debbie"
Withraw High School: Honor Council 9; Dramatics 9; Latin Club 9; Basketball 9. Brush High School: Girls' Athletic Association 10; Student Council 10, 11; Latin Club 10; Orientation Committee 11; French Club 11. Edgewood High School: Girls' Athletic Association 11; Dramatics Club 11; French Club 11. Warwick High School: French Club 11. James Blair: Business Manager of Newspaper 12; Dramatics 12; Civis Club 12.

RHODA MARIE MOYER "Rhoda"
Toano: Basketball 9; Glee Club 9, 10; Beta Club 10, 11; Basketball 10; Class Secretary 10. Matthew Whaley: Monogram Club 11; Business Manager of Newspaper 11; S.I.P.A. 11, 12; National Honor Society 11. James Blair: Secretary of S.C.A. 12; Editor of Newspaper 12; Yearbook Staff 12; S.C.A. District and State Convention 12; National Honor Society 12.

COLONIAL SERVICE STATION

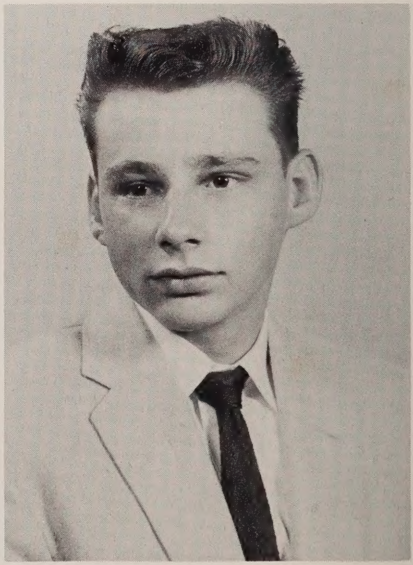


Seniors

CHARLES CARMEAN NIXON "Charlie"
Football 9, 10, 11, 12; Football Co-captain 12; Baseball 10, 11, 12; Baseball Captain 12; Monogram Club 10, 11, 12; Boys' Advisory Council 12.

CALVIN CLAUDE OWEN "Calvin"
Baseball 10; Football 10, 11, 12; D.E. 12.

SUSAN RITCHIE RAINEY "Sue"
Petersburg High School: Tri-Hi-Y 9, 10. James Blair: Bulletin Board Committee 12; Youth Center Board 12; Girls' Student Body President 12; S.C.A. 12.

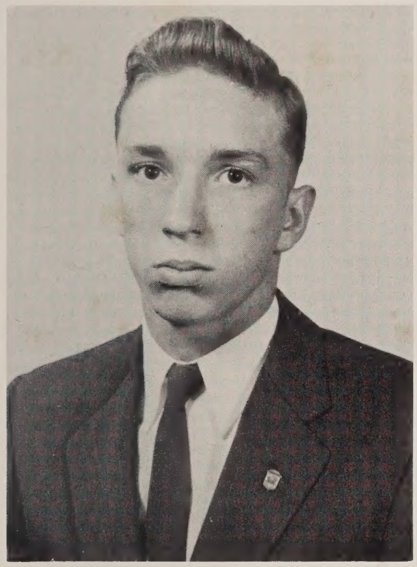


THOMAS EDWARD REMILLARD "Tom"
Notre Dame International High School: Baseball 9, 10; Chorus 9, 10; Basketball 10. Matthew Whaley: Dance Band Vocalist 11; Chorus 11. James Blair: Baseball 12.

CAPITAL RESTAURANT

Class Of '56

PETER STUART SAWYER "Pete"
Acalanes High School: Football 9. Lincoln Jr. High School: Basketball 9; Baseball 9. Yokahama American High School: Football 10; Basketball 10; Homeroom President 10; LeHerman's Club 10; Bowling Team 10; Golf Team 10. Matthew Whaley: Basketball 11; Golf Team 11; Monogram Club 11.



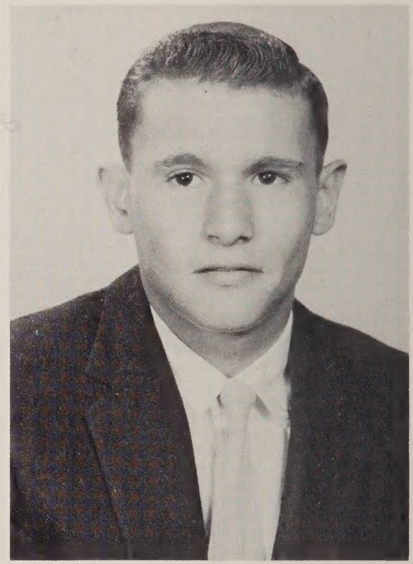
JAMES HENRY ROBERTSON "James"
Shop 9, 11, 12; S.C.A. Representative 9, 10, 12; Baseball 10, 11, 12; Football 10, 11, 12; Basketball 11, 12; Class Vice President 11; Chairman of Ring Committee 11; Bulletin Board Committee 11; National Honor Society 11, 12; Monogram Club 11, 12; Class President 12; Orientation Committee 12; Nominating Committee 12; Handbook Committee 12; Yearbook Staff 12; 13 Club.

THOMAS FREDERICK SCOTT "Fred"
Dance Band 10, 11, 12; Football 10, 11, 12; Projection Club 10; Monogram Club 11, 12; Track 11, 12.

FRANCES LaMAR SCORE "Fran"
Basketball 9, 10, 11, 12; Hockey 9, 10, 11, 12; Band 9, 10, 11; Science Club 9; All State Band 10, 11; Monogram Club 10, 11, 12; Dance Band 10; Student Council 11; Athletic Committee 11; Monitor Board 11; Library Assistant 11; Associate Editor of Newspaper 12; Treasurer of Monogram Club 12; French Conversation Club 12; Secretary-Treasurer of Girls' Student Body.

Seniors

ROBERT ELLISON SINGLETON "Bob"
Office Assistant 9; Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Science Club 9; Astronomy Club President 10, 11; Typing Club 12; Dramatics 12.



JAMES ORLANDO SMITH "Lanny"
Toano High School: Baseball 9, 10; Projection Club 10. Matthew Whaley: Baseball 11; J. V. Basketball 11; Monogram Club 11. James Blair: Monogram Club 12; Baseball 12; Basketball 12.

BARBARA JEAN STEWART "Barbara"
Toano: Basketball 9, 10; Softball 9, 10; Attendant in May Day Court 10. James Blair: President of F.H.A. 12; Treasurer of V.O.T. 12; Yearbook Staff 12.

RICHARD MANLEY TOOLEY "Richard"
Saftey Patrol 9, 10; Science Club 9; Projection Club 10, 11; Football 11; D.E. 12.

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&
W. R. SNYDER

Class Of '56

FRANCES LUCIA WEHLE "Lucia"
Chorus 9, 11, 12; Nominating Committee 9; Class Secretary 10; Reading Club 10; Colonialette Accompanist 11, 12; National Honor Society 11, 12; Hockey Co-manager 12; French Club 12; S.C.A. 12.

ROBERT SYMONS TROTH "Rusty"
Hyattsville Jr. High School: S.C.A. Representative 9. Matthew Whaley: Reading Club 9, 10; Nominating Committee 10; Class Treasurer 10, 11; Shop 10; Assembly Committee 11; Basketball 11, 12; Monitor Board 11; National Honor Society 11, 12. James Blair: Handbook Committee 12; S.C.A. Treasurer 12; Secretary of Boys' Advisory Council 12.

EDITH MAY WOOD "Edith"
4-H Club 9; Typing Club 10; Girls' Advisory Council 11; D.E. 12.

RUTH ELIZABETH WILLIAMS "Betty"
Band 9, 10; Chorus 9; Elementary Assistant 10; Business Club 10; Office Assistant 11; Photo Editor of Newspaper 12; Photo Editor of Yearbook 12; French Club 12; 13 Club.

BUTTS FURNITURE STORE

SENIOR CLASS SPONSORS, Miss Mildred Matier and Mrs. Cara Dillard.

We Seniors are proud to be the first graduating class of the James Blair High School. We have faced the challenge of being the leaders in a new school. We are proud of our new building and the new student body which has merged from several different groups. As Seniors we have had many responsibilities, such as class functions, yearbook, studies, and school activities. Working together in these various activities has built up a spirit of pride and belonging within us.

CLASS OFFICERS: James Robertson, President; Dale Gardner, Secretary; Dave Bissett, Vice President; Penny Anderson, Treasurer.

Senior

Rhoda Moyer, James Robertson
BEST ALL AROUND

Debbie Myers, Lanny Smith
BEST LOOKING

OUR SENIOR SUPERLATIVES

We, the members of the 1956 graduating class are proud to present the results of our choices for our most talented and outstanding classmates. From a long list of nominations, we cast our votes for the seniors whose pictures appear on these two pages.

These seniors have made unusual contributions to our class and to our school. We are happy to give them recognition in the Who's Who of Senior Superlatives.

Lucia Wehle, Donald Gilmore
MOST TALENTED

Shirley Baker, Frank Edwards
MOST ATHLETIC

Superlatives

Rhode Moyer, Neal Fletcher
MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED

Susan Rainey, Ben McCary
WITTIEST

Lucia Wehle, Rusty Troth
MOST SCHOLARLY

Betty Williams, Lanny Smith
BEST DRESSED

Jackie Allison, Shirley Carpenter
MOST CONTRIBUTIONS TO CLASS

SENIORS

MA

for

1. JACKIE ALLISON to Reba Hodge . . a large bottle of aspirin and a large bottle of alka-seltzer for frequent relief as editor of the yearbook.
2. LANNY SMITH to Donald Hazelwood . . my excess height to enable him to become a basketball star.
3. BARBARA JACOBS to Nancy Marsh . . my soprano voice to harmonize with her melodious alto.
4. BETTY JUMP to Myrtle Hitchens . . one gallon of burn ointment to rub her blistered fingers if she is elected typing editor of the yearbook.
5. SHIRLEY CARPENTER to Virginia Vaughan . . my position on the football team.
6. SHIRLEY BAKER to Bobbie Jean Lindsay . . my pony tail to help her swish the flies from her neck during her Senior year.
7. BOB BOSWELL to Tommy Hunt. . my knack for stumbling through the woods on cold mornings and falling over barbed wire fences; to Ken Hogge my love of Ping-pong.
8. NEAL FLETCHER to Ken Hogge . . the Johnson and Johnson Band-Aid Factory.
9. LUCIA WEHLE to Read Bromleigh and Catherine Smith . . good books, good music and good grades.

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10. TOM REMILLARD to Charles Wilder . . my last pack of cigarettes.
11. BILL CONNELLY to Ken Hogge . . my size ten football shoes so that he can cover more ground with less effort.
12. FRANCES SCORE to Gladys Patrick . . my solid mahogany, beautifully toned ukelele and my two song books with "Your Cheatin' Heart" and "Five Foot Two", providing she doesn't use them to try out for All State Band.
13. CARTER BROOKS to Jessie Lanehart and George Magus . . a spoon for use in Algebra II (And they know why.)
14. FRANK EDWARDS to Betty Raye Cox . . my locker so she will have room for her books and in said locker an oil painting of myself lest she forget.
15. JULIA BAGANAKIS to Barbara Pope, Wilma Sutphin, and Nancy Newcome . . my graceful and painless Charleston.
16. PETE SAWYER to Stanley Peoples . . one right front tooth.
17. FRANCES JACOBSON to Ann Rutledge . . an 18th century quill pen so that she can tickle as well as tease people.
18. DAVE BISSET to John Alexander . . my lucky beanie to help him keep from having a swelled head when he sees his report card.
19. JIM HAZELWOOD to Reba Hodge . . a ball and chain so that she will not be carried off by any other male.

CHARLIE NIXON to Jack Nixon . . the family coat of arms to remind him that a Nixon never misses in football or hunting.

MARGIE CLEMENTS to Luther Farinholt . . fifty-two three cent stamps to enable him to tease me via mail since I will not be here to receive his torments in person.

ELIZABETH HARRISON to Jean Gibson . . my ability to see over the heads of every one without standing on my toes.

JUDY JONES to Myrtle Hitchens . . wedding bells after graduation.

BEN McCARY to Bill Guilliams . . my sentry post in front of the College Pharmacy.

FRED SCOTT to Bill Hitchens and Doug Veatch . . my '39 Ford to uphold the dignity of the Senior Class.

BOB SINGLETON to George Magus . . one sour note and one bloop to remind him of me when he croons his early-morning lullaby to the bus driver.

DON GILMORE to John Alexander . . one non-sliding slide rule guaranteed to be readily available in Mr. Major's class.

PEGGY BOUGHTON to Alma Cross . . my ability to make a decision about a "one and only."

PHYLLIS GARRETT to Charles Wilder . . hints about the private life of my sister, Bettie Mae.

DON GILMORE to Luther Farinholt . . one bale of Dixieland cotton to line the bell of his cornet to force him to muffle his uncontrollable noisy tones.

WARREN DRAKE to Bill Hitchens . . knack for sleeping with my eyes open in Government class.

RICHARD TOOLEY to Avon Tomlin . . a guide on how to get along with your boss.

SUSAN RAINEY to Sharon Stout and Marianna Christian . . executive headaches as president of the Girls' Student Body.

BARBARA STEWART to Alma Cross . . sweet memories of Cupid's success at Lanexa.

ANN MILLER to Marsha Sprake, Mildred Otey and Mary Anne Hellie . . nine ounces of peroxide powder, one for each month of their Senior year.

EDITH WOOD to Jo Ann Matheny and John Kempton . . 9 by 12 blotters to blot out the memory of the long hours spent on the pen project.

JERRY AUSTIN to Roger Millirons . . one broken bit and a bent ruler so he may carry on in shop where I left off.

BETTY WILLIAMS to Julia Pitts . . my perfect posture.

HUGH HITCHENS to Billy Hitchens . . all the problems and exploits of the Boys' Student Body.

BILL MALLORY to Jack Nixon . . my secret of getting in sneak punches without getting kicked out of the game.

CALVIN OWEN to Bob Howard . . the crash bar from my football helmet to protect his crooked nose.

PENNY ANDERSON to Bill Anderson . . the well-known quotation: "A rose by any other name would not smell half so sweet."

DEBBIE MEYERS to Patty Caldwell, Linda Cooke and Margaret Wilkins . . my scholarly love.

TRUDY HAVOLA to Gayle Martin and Norma Davis . . my ability to write a letter using every inch of space on the stationery.

ED DANLEY to Jessie Lanehart . . my talent for playing ad lib solos; to Linda Veatch . . a slightly used, autographed, number 22 alto reed for greater inspiration in her musical career.

JEAN LeCLERCQ to Mike Colvin, John Kempton, Rabun Matthews, and Bob McGregor . . my famous first and last words, "I goofed."

DALE GARDNER to Jean Gibson . . my position as secretary of the Senior Class.

BARBARA MEADOWS to Betty Moore . . a pillow for her individual comfort at future P.J. parties.

RHODA MOYER to Linda Totty . . the editorship of the Blarion if she is crazy enough to take it.

JANE MEADOWS to Josephine Cannady and Jo Ann Gurley . . my quiet charm.

LEW LeCOMPTE to Alvin Yates and Arthur Hoar . . my drum sticks to help them beat a path through their Senior year.

JAMES ROBERTSON to Ken Hogge and Gene Dinwiddie . . my love for football.

JO ANNE MALLORY to Bobbie Hedgebeth, Carol McCartney and Jane Perry . . my domestic aptitude.

RUSTY TROTH to Nancy Marsh . . a unicycle so she can get to meetings on her own.

FAYE DULA to Judy Atkinson . . my growling teddy bear.

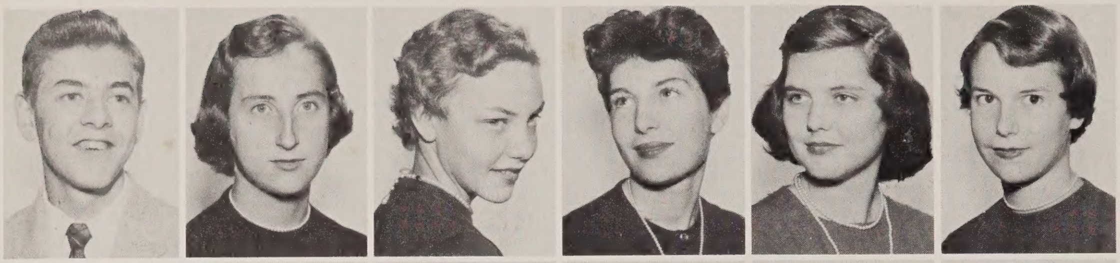
BETTY SUE HOCKADAY to Jo Anne Matheny . . my ability to drive with no license and not get caught.

LIBBY GREEN to Beverly White, Roselee Brown and Kenneth Green . . my colorful personality.

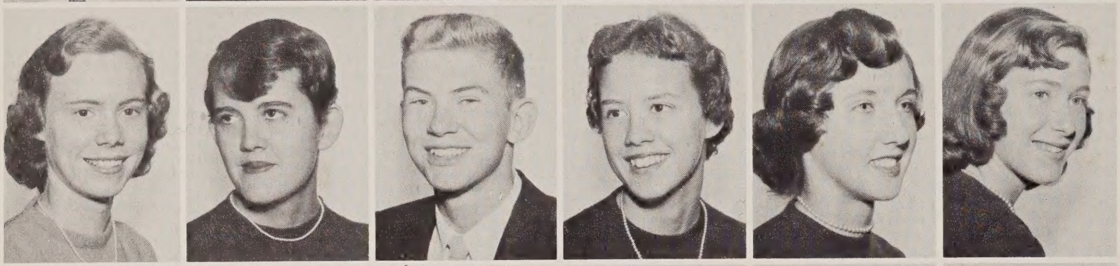
MAGRUDER'S
AMERICAN
GOVERNMENT

Classes

Juniors



Billy Anderson
Judy Atkinson
Patty Bark
Read Bromleigh
Rosa Lee Brown
Patty Caldwell



Josephine Canady
Marianna Christian
Michael Colvin
Alma Cross
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Norma Davis

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Billy Quilliams
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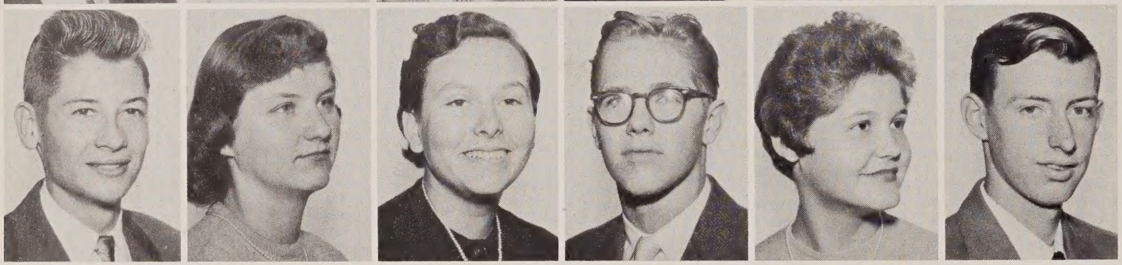
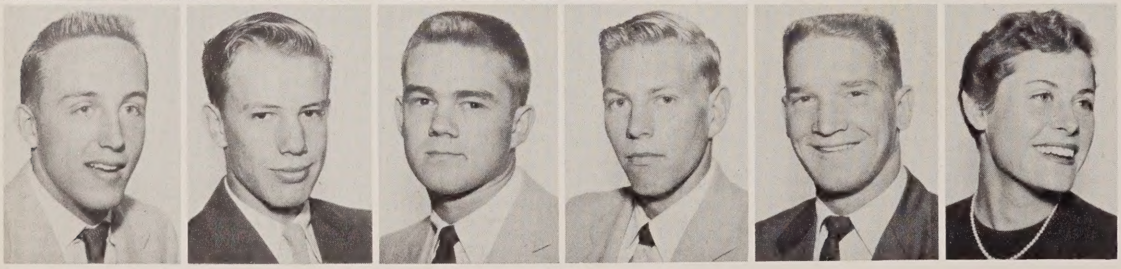


Donald Hazelwood
Bobbie Hedgebeth
Mary Ann Hellie
Billy Hitchens
Myrtle Hitchens
Arthur Hoar



Kenneth Hogge
Bobby Howard
Tommy Hunt
John Kempton
Jesse Lanehart
Bobbie Jean Lindsay

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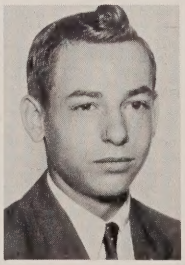

Kenneth Greene
PRESIDENT

John Alexander
VICE PRESIDENT

Class

Class of '57

George Magus
Nancy Marsh
Gayle Martin
JoAnne Matheney
Rabun Matthews
Carol McCartney

Robert McGregor
Roger Milliron
Betty Moore
Nancy Newcomb
Jack Nixon
Gayle Norwood

Mildred Otey
Gladys Patrick
Stanley Peoples
Jane Perry
Barbara Pope
Ann Rutledge

Kathryn Smith
Marsha Sprake
Sharon Stout
Avon Tomline
Linda Totty
Douglas Veatch

Beverly White
Charles Wilder
Margaret Wilkins
Alvin Yates

ABSENTEES:
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- Wilmer Sutphin
- Virginia Vaughan
- Linda Veatch
- Alvin Yates

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Julia Pitts
TREASURER

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Lloyd Sullenberger
PRESIDENT

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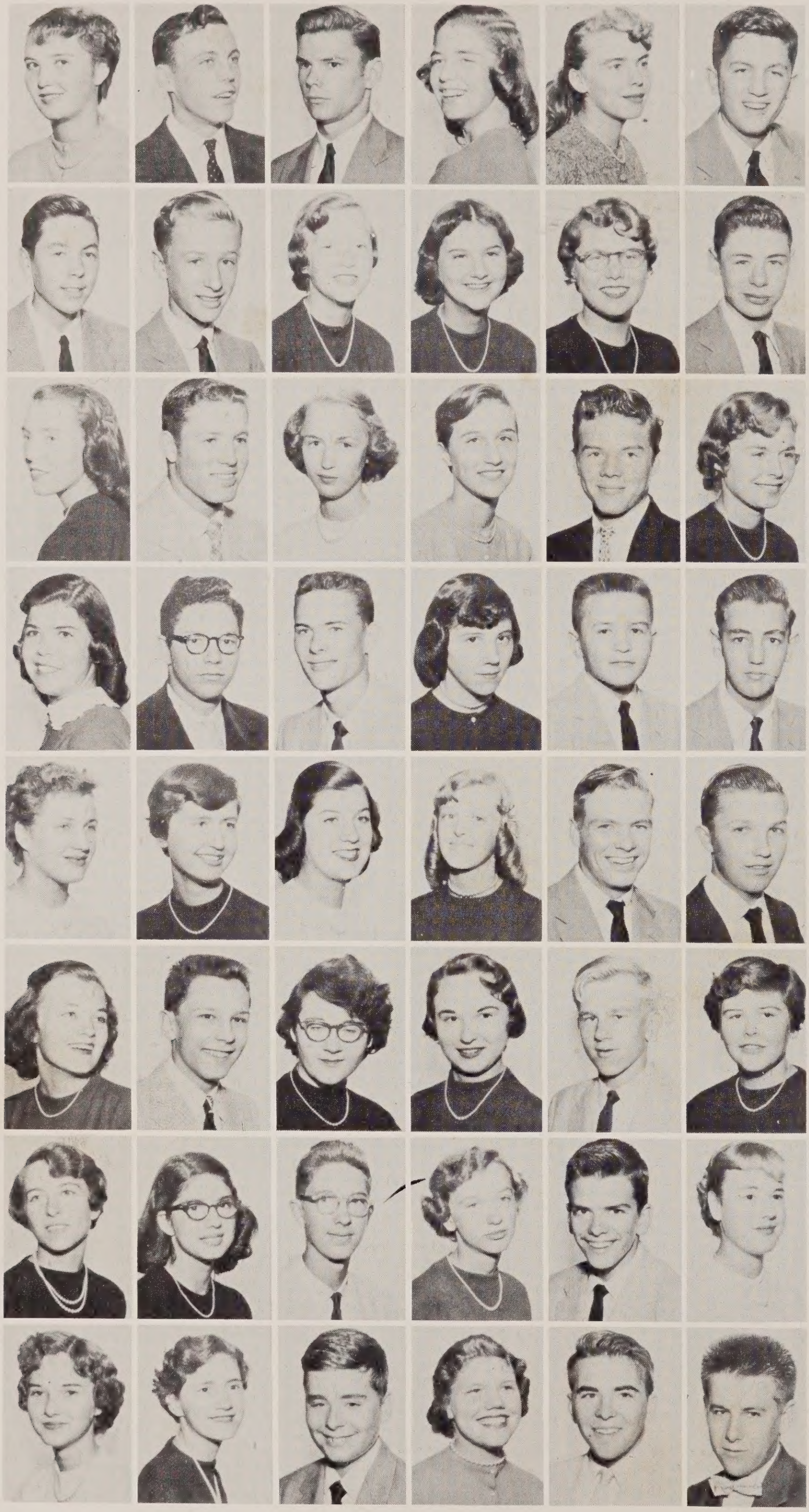

Alwayne Adams
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Warren Billings
Fred Boelt
Jerry Bracey
Carol Brenegan
Joyce Brown
Daphne Broyles
Peter Colvin
Brenda Danley
Clarence Douglas
Gwen Dowdell
Emily Drake
Elwood Eubank
Janice Everson
Betty Garrett
George Green
Caswell Harris
Barbara Harmon
Antti Havola
Donald Heath
Carol Hinkson
Margaret Hitchens
Dottie Hofmeyer
Janice Hogg
John Holland
Oscar Houchens
Adelaide Hudson
John Hull
Carolyn Hutchens
Barbara Jayne
Ralph Johnson
Betty Jones
Connie Jones
Helen Jones
Robert Keene
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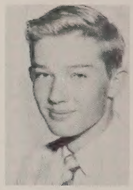
Richard McKown
Tyree McKown



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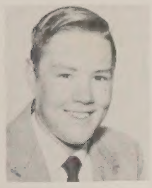

Chuck Miller
TREASURER

Susan Brown
SECRETARY

Class of '58

Edna Millirons
Mary Anne Morecock
Anne Moss
Billy Myers
Susie New
Dave Noake
Tom Nottingham
Keith Nunn
Jim Peach
Pat Pence
Shirley Purcell
Bobby Quillian
Faye Ripley
Thomas Ripley
Billy Roberts
Blake Robertson
Pat Rogers
Patricia Roles
Sara Roles
Willye Mae Rowe
Gloria Runion
Charlotte St. Clair
Robert Shires
Ed Smith
Selma Spivey
Barbara Taylor
Fanny Thompson
Margaret Thompson
Susan Tinsley
James Travis
Alfred Troutman
Dehlia Wall
Lorraine Wall
Edith Waltrip
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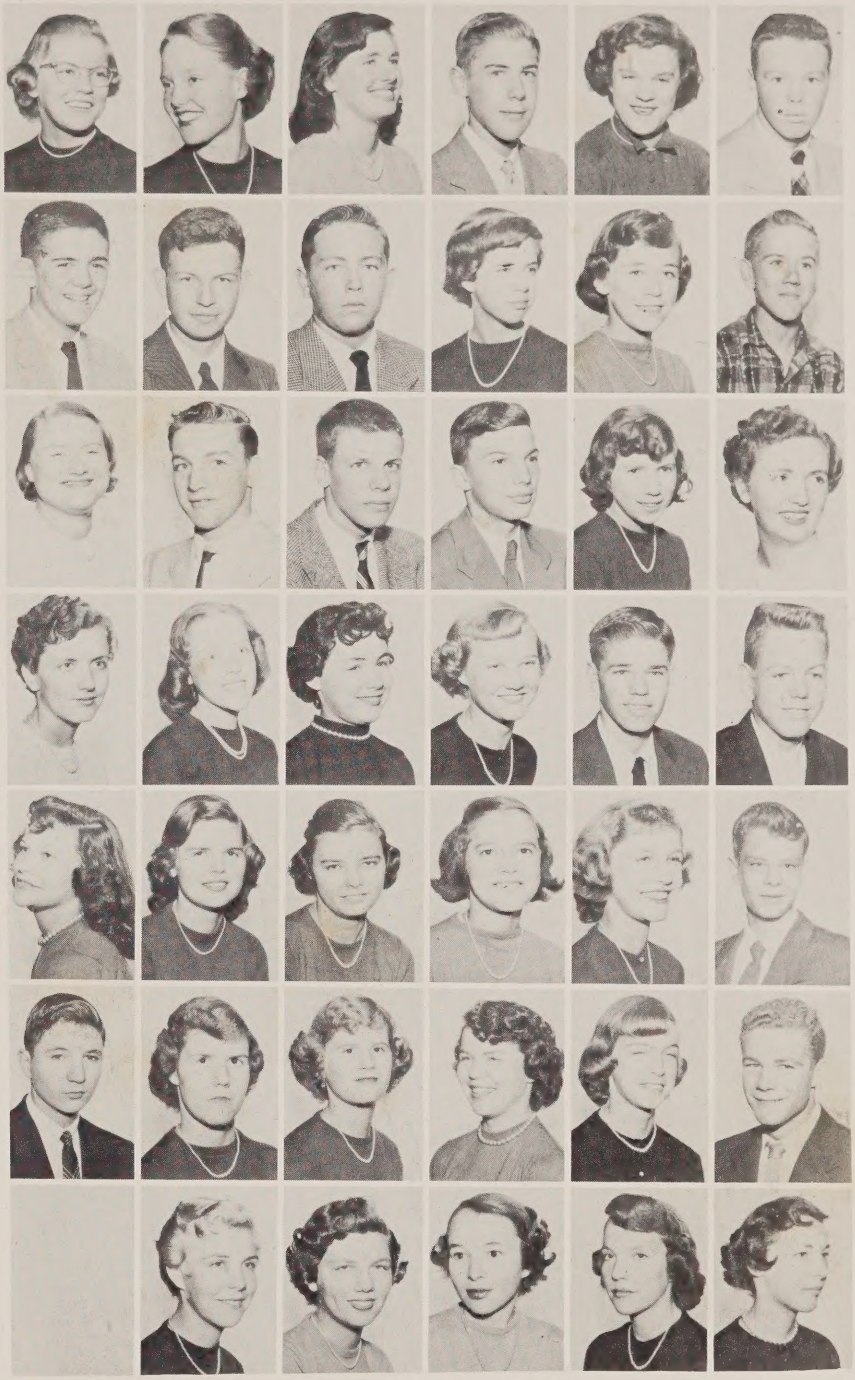
Pat Wilson
Norma Womick
Kathleen Woodruff
Linda Wroten



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MISS NORMA SAUNDERS
Sponsors

ABSENT WHEN PICTURES WERE TAKEN:

Charles Branscombe
Geraldine Claiborne
Carolyn Cox
Manfred Eck
Tommy Farinholt
Ann Minor
Nancy Martin
Dennis Myers
Mildred Richardson
Larry Ware

WILLIAMSBURG DRUG COMPANY

Freshmen Class

June Whitacre
PRESIDENT

Gale Abbot
VICE PRESIDENT

Cheatham Adams
Kenneth Amos
Zonia Baker
Louise Barnett
Paula Batchelder
Martha Bisset
Peter Bosch
Betty Boswell
Bill Bowry
Beverly Bozarth
Whitmel Brown
Robert Bucky
Mary Frances Caldwell
Pat Cambell
Randy Carter
Larry Cheatham
Bobby Cheatham
Richard Cottingham
Bernard Covington
Betty Jo Cowles
Lucy Crossland
Kenny Daub
Ann Duke
Shirley Dye
Hartwell Eubank
Lillian Ford
Peter Haak
Rebecca Hayden
Betty Hargrave
Kenneth Hazelwood
Ralph Hazelwood
Joyce Harrison
Brantley Henderson
Robert Hockaday
Louis Hoff
Margaret Holland
Lewis Jones
Virginia Kemp
Frances Kempton
Betsy Kent
Betty Kogar
Carol Lanehart
Joan Lee
Paul Lowe

Best wishes to a great girl Ann

good luck to a nice girl Margaret Le

BEST of LUCK Betsy

Joan Lee

MR. MAJOR, MRS. TENNIS

Officers

The best of everything to a good algebra student.
John Baganakis

Maggy Goodbody
SECRETARY

John Baganakis
TREASURER

Grace Howell — June 24, 56
This year when we first got our scedules we discovered that we had [illegible] the same scedules. So when [illegible] I got lost you helped me + vice versa - I hope I will - any-way I think we had lots of fun - L. M. N.

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Class of '59

- Jean Linkous
- Jean Loomis
- Katie Mahone
- Esther Marshall
- Elizabeth Matthews
- Natalie McKown
- Donald McCartney
- Earl Meadows
- Barbara Meredith
- Andy Nea
- Linda Neese
- Mary Nightengale
- Emilie Nixon
- Beth O'Neil
- Frank Osbourne
- Hazel Otey
- Allen Owens
- Jane Parker
- Grace Phelps
- Catherine Pugh
- Willard Purvis
- Clarence Richardson
- James Richardson
- Fred Robertson
- Cynthia Rowe
- John Santelli
- Mead Sharp
- Gaylord Sheldon
- Bonnie Sherman
- Charles H. Smith
- Charles S. Smith
- Dennis Shook
- James Speak
- Vernon Spratley
- Fred Stewart
- Ronnie Stewart
- Billy Thompson
- David Thompson
- Carol Waltrip
- Nancy Waltrip
- Alice White
- Joan Wimmer
- Philip Womick
- Roy Young

Good luck to one of my many girls. I hope that you will be a very happy person in your later life when you grow up with Frank.
Corky Sharp

to a latin student.
Cynthia

Mead

Bonnie

and MISS BROWNING
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The Seventh Grade

The Eighth Grade

Junior High

MRS. HOCKADAY'S ROOM
7th Grade

Jim Totty, President; Bob Harrison, Vice President; Joyce Goad, Treasurer; Marilyn Smith, Secretary.

MISS CRANK'S ROOM
7th Grade

Billy Dyer, President; Ann Lanier, Vice President; Wade Cheatham, Treasurer; Richard Meadows, Secretary.

EIGHTH GRADE

Wendy Thompson, President; Joan Meadows, Vice President; Sandra Clements, Secretary; Billy Steele, Treasurer.

MRS. BATCHELDER'S ROOM
7th Grade

Van MacNair, President; Carol Tipton, Vice President; Judy Weeks, Secretary; Peggy Coddington, Treasurer.

MRS. COWLES' ROOM
7th Grade

Charlotte Lee, President; Layton Brenegan, Vice President; Karen Halligan, Secretary; Jerry Branscomb, Treasurer.

MR. HARRISON'S ROOM
7th Grade

Richard Thompson, President; Margaret Sutton, Vice President; Robert Ripley, Secretary; Martha Davis, Treasurer.

RADFORD COLLEGE

Activities And Organizations

Student Council

LEFT TO RIGHT: Shirley Carpenter, President; Rhoda Moyer, Secretary; Rusty Troth, Treasurer; Nancy Marsh, Vice President.

SPONSORS: Mrs. Cara Dillard and Mr. George Pitts.

The Student Council is the governing body of the James Blair Student Cooperative Association. As such, it has influence over most of the other organizations of the school. This year, the job of the council has been an exceptionally difficult one, as it has had to reorganize itself within the new school. Nevertheless, having faced the many new problems with typical enthusiasm, the Student Council has continued to carry out, to the best of its ability, the interests of the entire student body.

FIRST ROW, LEFT TO RIGHT: Brantley Henderson, Vernon Spratley, Wendy Thompson, Helen Amoroso, Link Peters, Wade Cheatam, Mike Crawford, Bill Dyer, J.P. Cottingham, Barbara Jacobs, Rhoda Moyer. SECOND ROW: Mrs. Dillard, Mr. Pitts, Barbara Taylor, Phoebe Sullenberger, Barbara Vaughan, Virginia Martin, Lucia Wehle, Trudy Havola, Nancy Marsh, Myrtle Hitchens, Judy Atkinson, Kenneth Green. THIRD ROW: Shirley Carpenter, Fred Armstrong, Rusty Troth, Gladys Patrick, Susan Rainey, John Alexander, Carter Brooks, James Robertson, Hugh Hitchens, Lloyd Sullenberger.

HIGH SCHOOL

STUDENT COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION

S.C.A. Committees

WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE

The purpose of the ways and means Committee is to establish a budget as a plan for the year's spending of the Student Cooperative Association.

LEFT TO RIGHT: Lloyd Sullenberger, Nancy Marsh, Rusty Troth.

The Ways and Means Committee

BULLETIN BOARD COMMITTEE

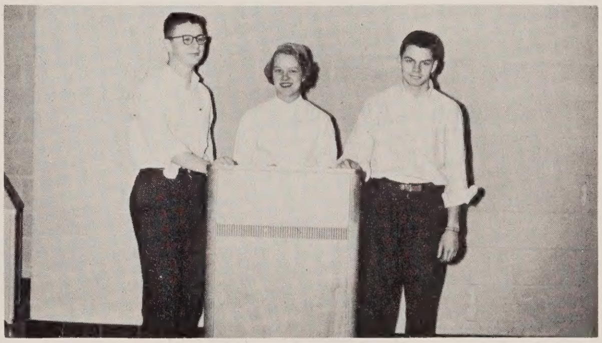
The Bulletin Board in the lower hall of James Blair High is attended to everyday by the Bulletin Board Committee.

LEFT TO RIGHT: Susan Rainey, Carter Brooks, Barbara Jacobs, Betty Jump.

Bulletin Board Committee

ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE

All of the James Blair assemblies are co-ordinated and checked through the Assembly Committee.



Assembly Committee

ORIENTATION COMMITTEE

The Orientation Committee is the official welcome of all new students. It is the function of this committee to issue student handbooks, which inform all new students of the James Blair High School rules, activities, organizations, and events.

LEFT TO RIGHT: Barbara Jacobs, James Robertson, Lloyd Sullenberger.

Orientation Committee

JAMES BLAIR
Williamsburg, Va.

James Blair High School Band

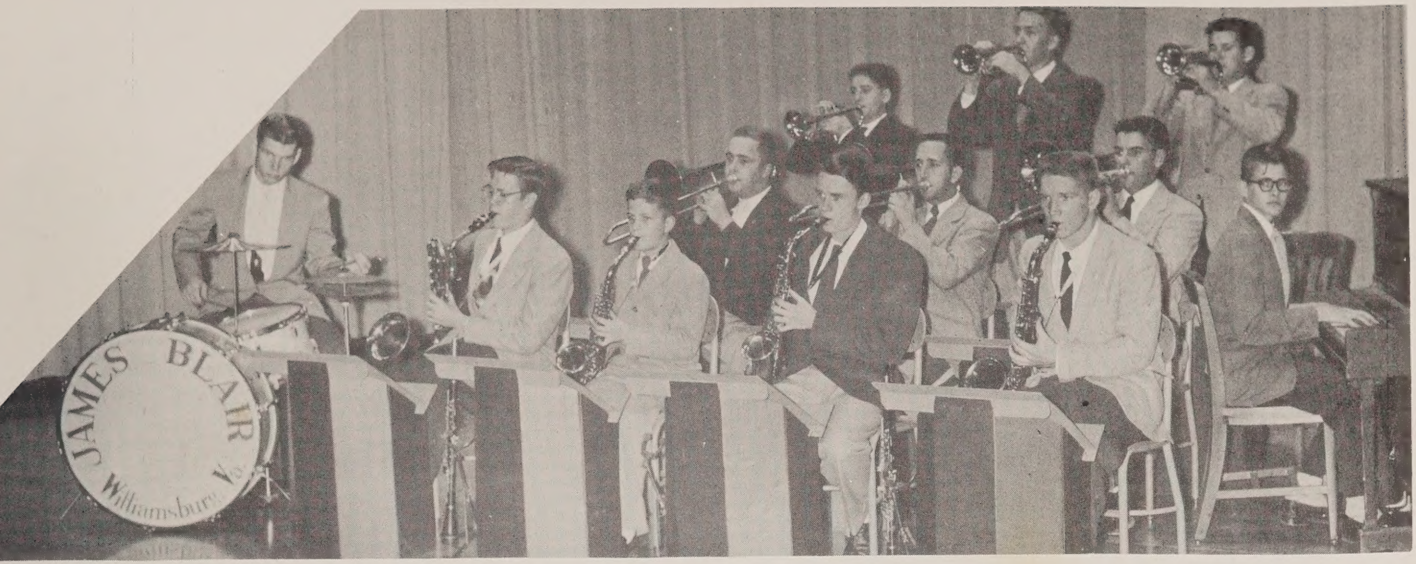
Music

School

MAJORETTES
LEFT TO RIGHT: Betty Garrett, Geraldine Claiborne, Carol Brenegan, Gwen Dowell, Susan Brown. FRONT CENTER: Virginia Vaughan.

Drum Majorette,
Barbara Jacobs

PASTRY SHOP


JAMES BLAIR
Williamsburg, Va.

Dance Band

Department

Chorus

Mr. Everette Buskirk,
Music Director

SCHMIDT'S FLORIST
SCHMIDT'S MUSIC SHOP

Youth Center Board

LEFT TO RIGHT: Nancy Marsh, President; Virginia Vaughan, Vice-President; Linda Totty, Secretary; Shepherd Lewis, Treasurer.

JAMES BLA
HIGH SCHO

LEFT TO RIGHT-FIRST ROW: Talmadge Olphin, Sammy Keyser, Shepherd Lewis, Douglas Veatch, Ben McCary, Larry Allgood, John Alexander, David Cox. SECOND ROW: Tommy Lewis, Betty Jump, Virginia Vaughan, Linda Totty, Nancy Martin, Susan Brown, Nancy Marsh, Rebecca Scott, Paula Batchelder, Anne Miller. THIRD ROW: Fred Armstrong, Frances Score, Betsy McCully, Susan Rainey, Jean Loomis, Jackie Roberts, Mary Nightengale, Gail Abbott.

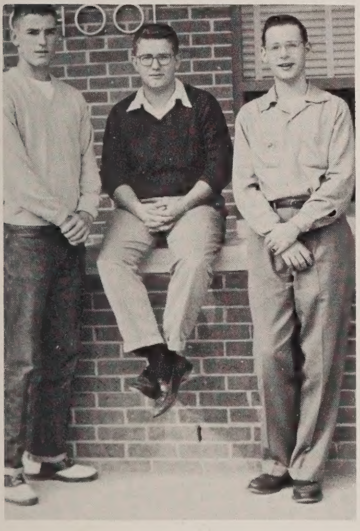
ARMY & NAVY STORE

Girls' and Boys' Advisory

LEFT TO RIGHT-FRONT ROW: Barbara Jacobs, Betsy Kent, Sharon Stout. SECOND ROW: Jane Meadows, Susan Rainey, Frances Score.

LEFT TO RIGHT-Barbara Jacobs, Vice President; Susan Rainey, President; Frances Score, Secretary.

The Girls' Advisory Council and the Boys' Advisory Council are composed of officers elected by their respective student bodies and one representative elected from each grade. These councils meet one day each week to discuss ways to iron out various problems confronting each student body, and they present the results of these discussions to their respective student body for further consideration. They also try to arrange for special programs to be presented to each separate group.

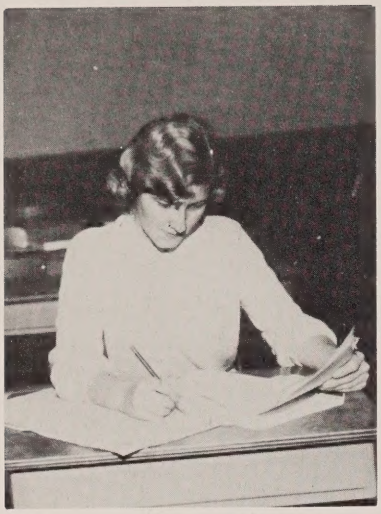


LEFT TO RIGHT-Frank Edwards, Vice President; Hugh Hitchens, President; Robert Troth, Secretary.

LEFT TO RIGHT-FRONT ROW: Charlie Nixon, Stanley Peoples, John Baganakis, Billy Roberts. SECOND ROW: Frank Edwards, Hugh Hitchens, Rusty Troth.

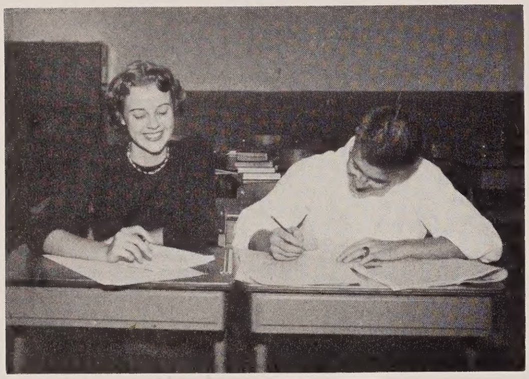
FRAZIER-CALLIS

Journalism

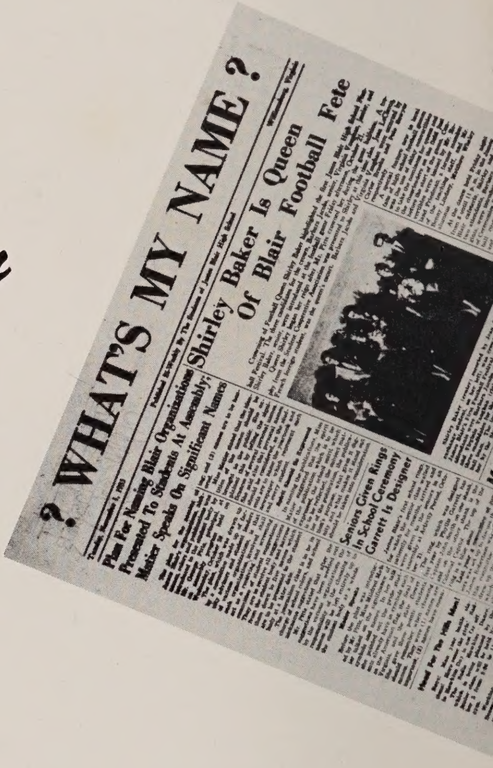


EDITOR-IN-CHIEF
Rhoda Moyer

PHOTOGRAPHY EDITOR
Betty Williams



BUSINESS MANAGER and ADVERTISING MANAGER
Debbie Myers and Bob Boswell

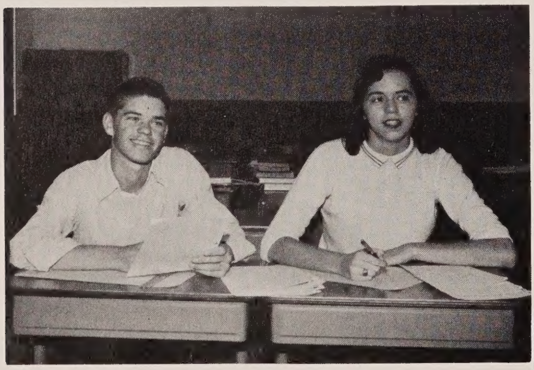


? WHAT'S MY NAME ?

Plan For Naming Blair Organizations Presented To Students At Assembly; Mathey Speaks On Significant Names

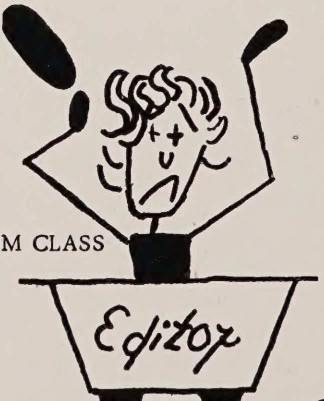
Shirley Baker Is Queen Of Blair Football Fete

Seniors Given Rings In School Ceremony Garrett Is Designer



CO-FEATURE EDITORS
Robert Shires and Susan Rainey

JOURNALISM CLASS



COPY EDITOR and TYPING EDITOR
Carol McCartney and Jo Matheny

GIRLS' SPORTS EDITOR
Shirley Baker

VIRGINIA
GAZETTE

ASSOCIATE EDITOR
Frances Score

Class

Two Library Groups Elect Year's Prexies

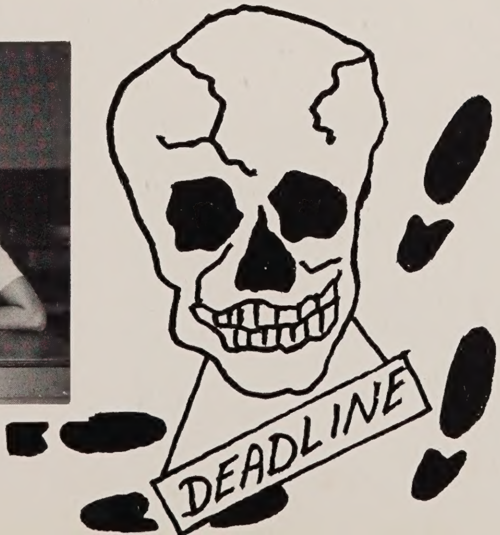
Senior Girls Invade City

rsing Club Is Organized For Blair Girls By Everson

CIRCULATION and EXCHANGE MANAGER
Patty Bark and Alma Cross

BOYS' SPORTS EDITORS
Ben McCary and Dave Bissett

CO-ART EDITORS
Carol Hinkson and Julia Pitts



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Jackie Allison

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MAKE-UP EDITOR
Rhoda Moyer

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Frances Score

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Hive Staff

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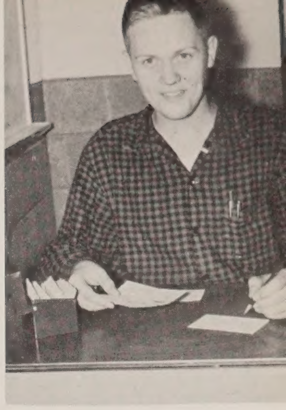

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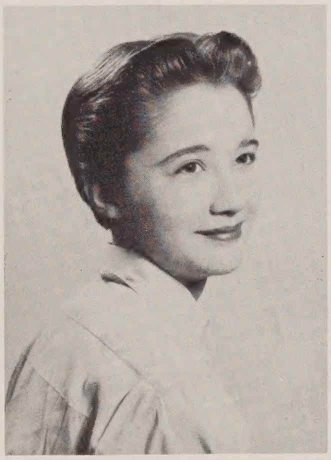

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Civics Club

MARCH OF DIMES
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Shirley Baker

PRESIDENT
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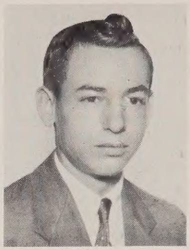

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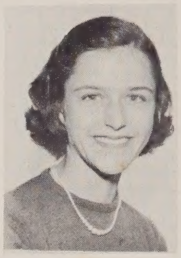

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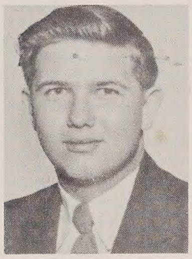

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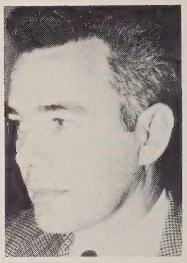


MR. WILLIAM ETHERIDGE
Sponsor

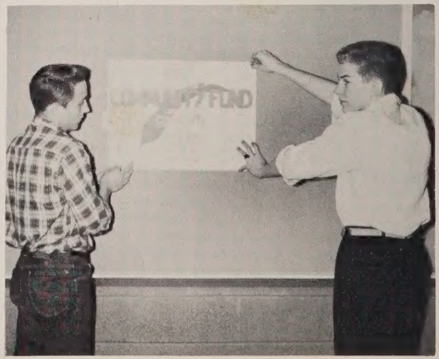
The purpose of the Civics Club is to promote harmony between the Williamsburg Civics Club and the school. This year the Civics Club has kept a leather notebook of all the achievements of the students at James Blair throughout the 1955-56 school year as well as sponsoring a May Day, May Dance, and March of Dimes Ball.

MARCH OF DIMES ATTENDANT
Virginia Vaughan

QUEEN OF THE MARCH OF
DIMES BALL
Sharon Stout

Debbie Meyers and Hugh Hitchens working on March of Dimes Dance.

Ken Hogge and Mike Colvin displaying poster.



THE
WILLIAMSBURG
PASTRY SHOP

Janice Everson demonstrates an arm bandage to Alice White

Frances Barnette weighs Jean Gibson in a demonstration

Nursing Club

NURSING CLUB

On October 10, 1955, the Nursing Club of James Blair High School was organized. Janice Everson was elected President; Gail Abbott, Vice President; Elizabeth Harrison, Secretary; and Jean Gibson, Treasurer. This club meets once a week and is a very active organization. Among its activities are: parties for the patients at Eastern State and Dunbar, help in the school clinic night classes for people interested in nursing, and sponsoring speakers at various meetings.

Janice Everson
PRESIDENT

Gail Abbott
VICE PRESIDENT

Jean Gibson
TREASURER

Elizabeth Harrison
SECRETARY

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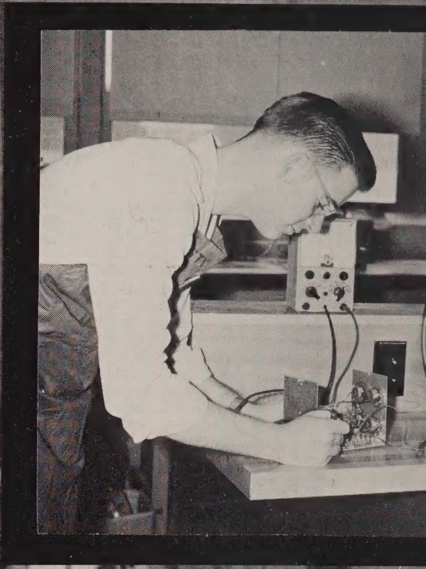
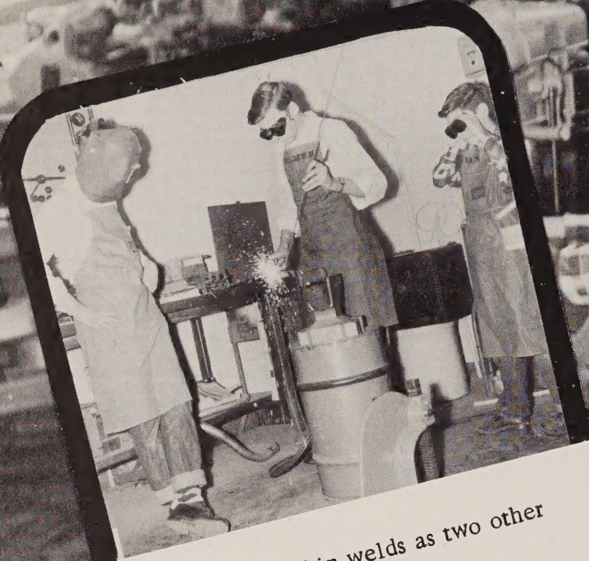
WEST END VALET SHOP

Industrial

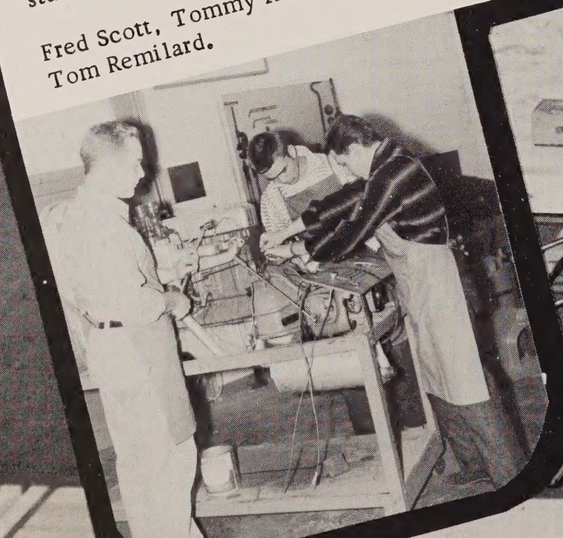


Rusty Troth and
repair an old



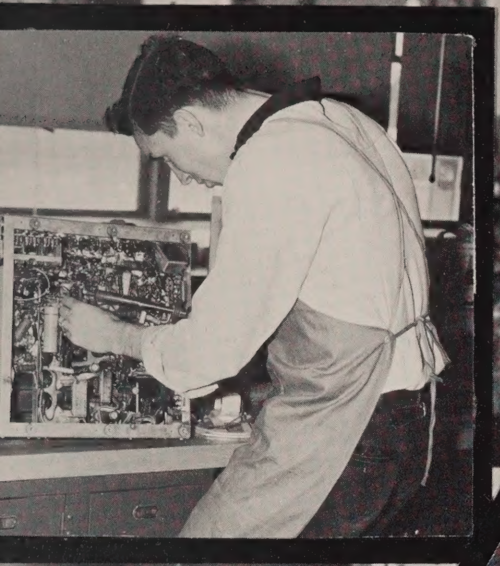
Wilmer Sutphin welds as two other students watch on.

Fred Scott, Tommy Hunt, and Tom Remilard.



INSTRUCTOR
Mr. Culpepper shown here with Jerry Austin.

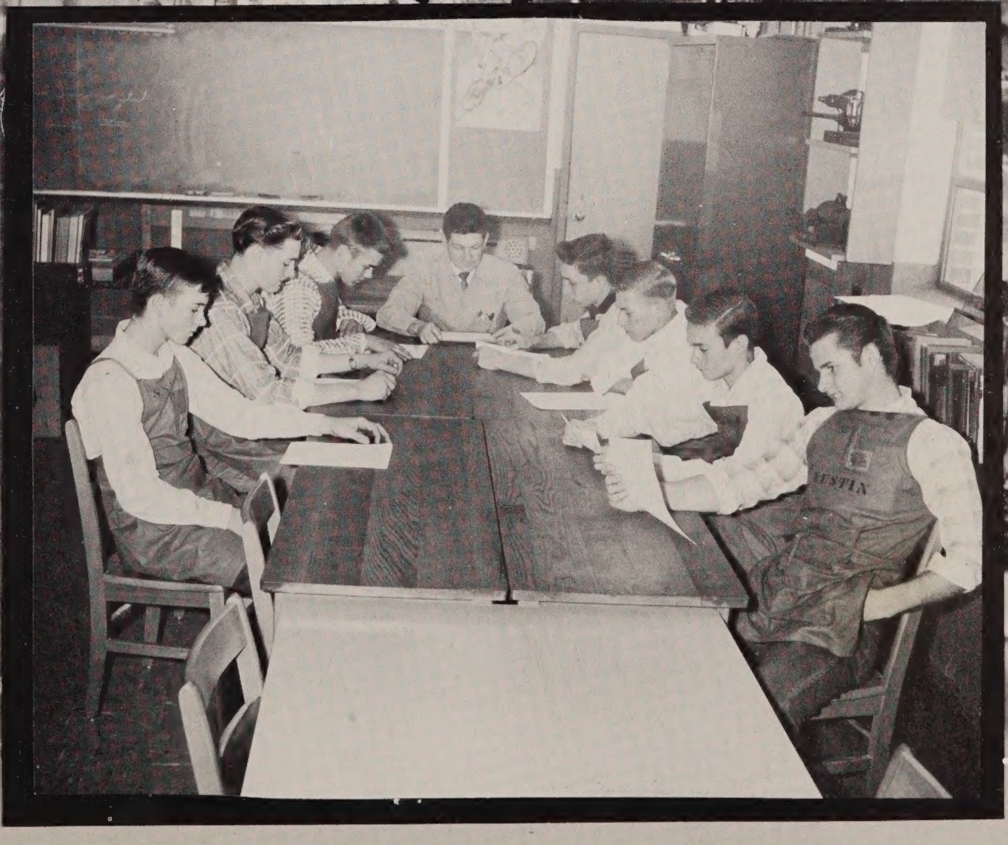
Arts



James Robertson
Television Set.

JERRY AUSTON
Molding Pottery

Shown above are two boys cutting a piece of wood.



SHOP SUPERINTENDENTS

LEFT TO RIGHT: Charley Smith, Tommy Ripley, Tommy Hunt, Mr. Culpepper, Instructor; James Robertson, John Kempton, Billy Steel, and Jerry Auston.

Phyllis Garrett
PARLIAMENTARIAN

Peggy Boughton
PRESIDENT

Dale Gardner
PROMOTIONAL MANAGER

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HISTORIAN

Vocational

Jean Gibson
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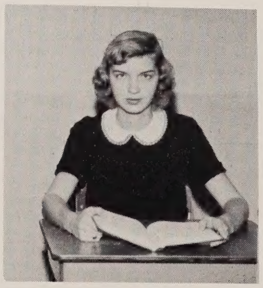
Elizabeth Harrison
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TREASURER

Margie Clements

Training

Marjorie Clements
SECRETARY

Richard Tooley
VICE PRESIDENT

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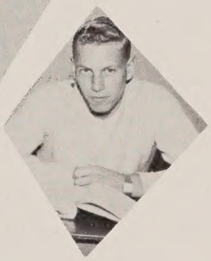

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Charles Wilder

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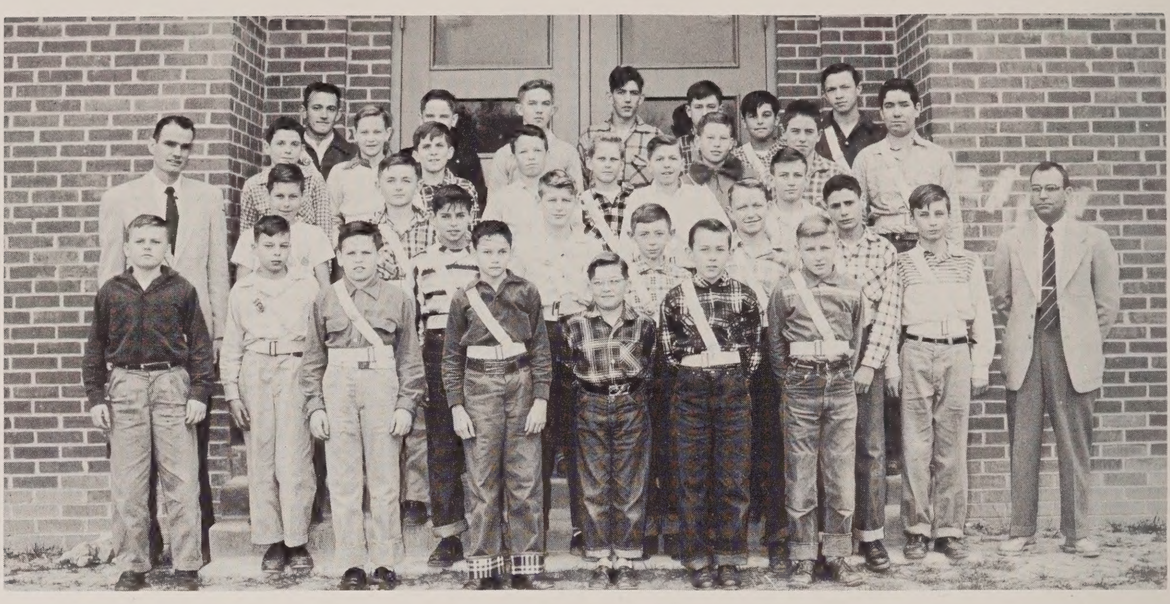
The Safety Patrol



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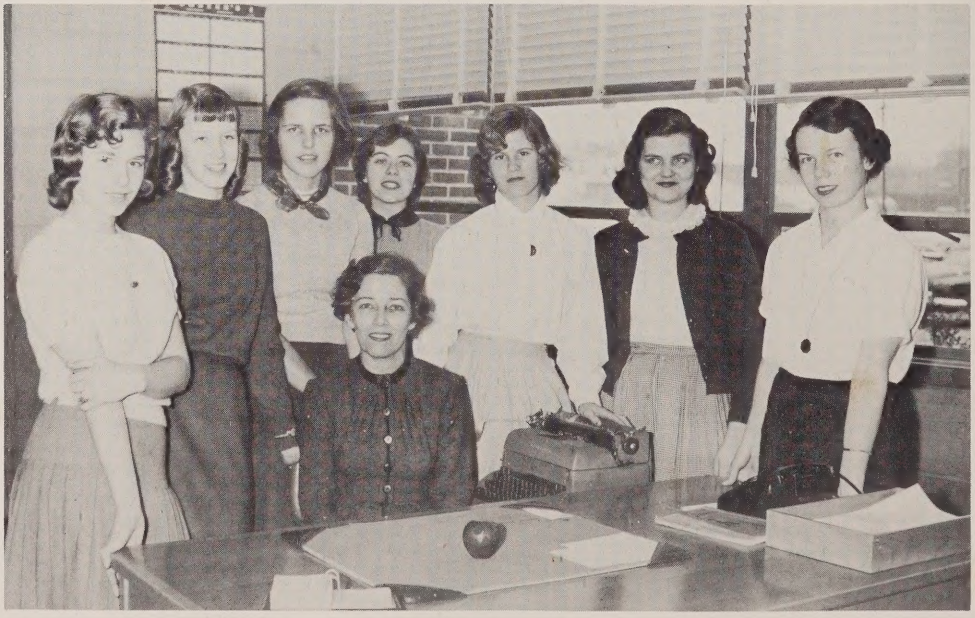
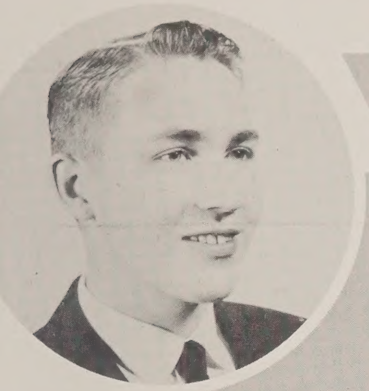
The Office Assistants



STANDING: Janice Everson, Betty Hargrave, Virginia Saunders, Lucie Wehle, Lorraine Walls, Rosa Lee Brown, Nancy Waltrip, Mrs. Gladys Jump, Secretary.

National Honor Society

Don Gilmore



Lucia Wehle
PRESIDENT

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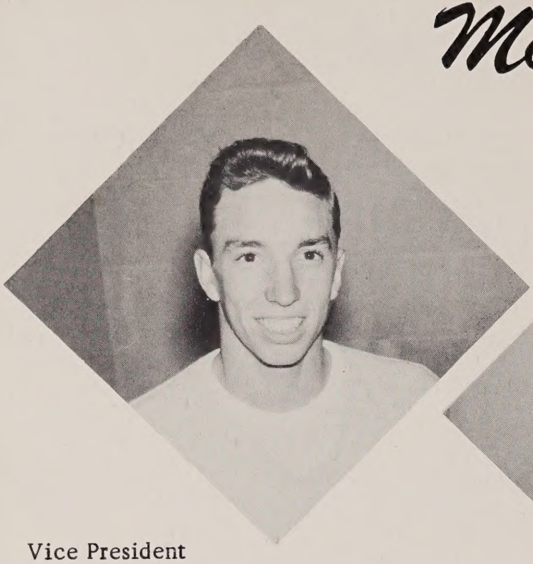
Monogram Club



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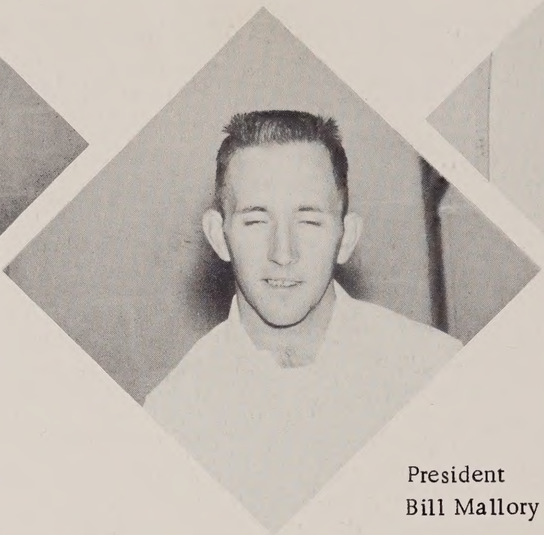

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Linda Totty

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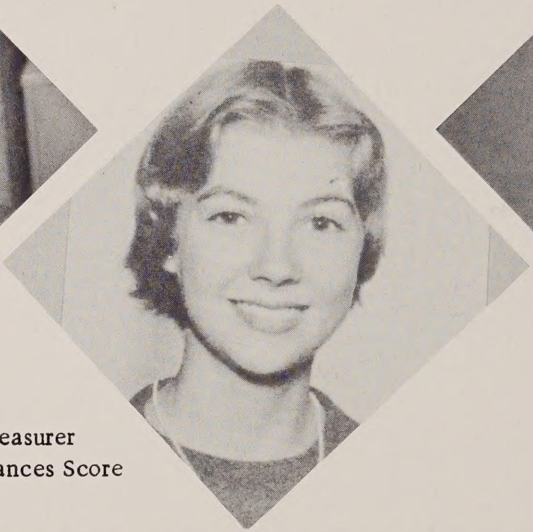

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Sponsor
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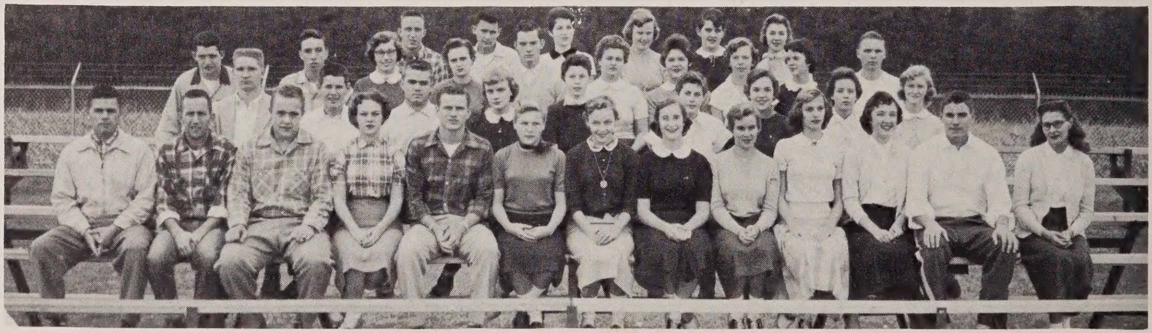
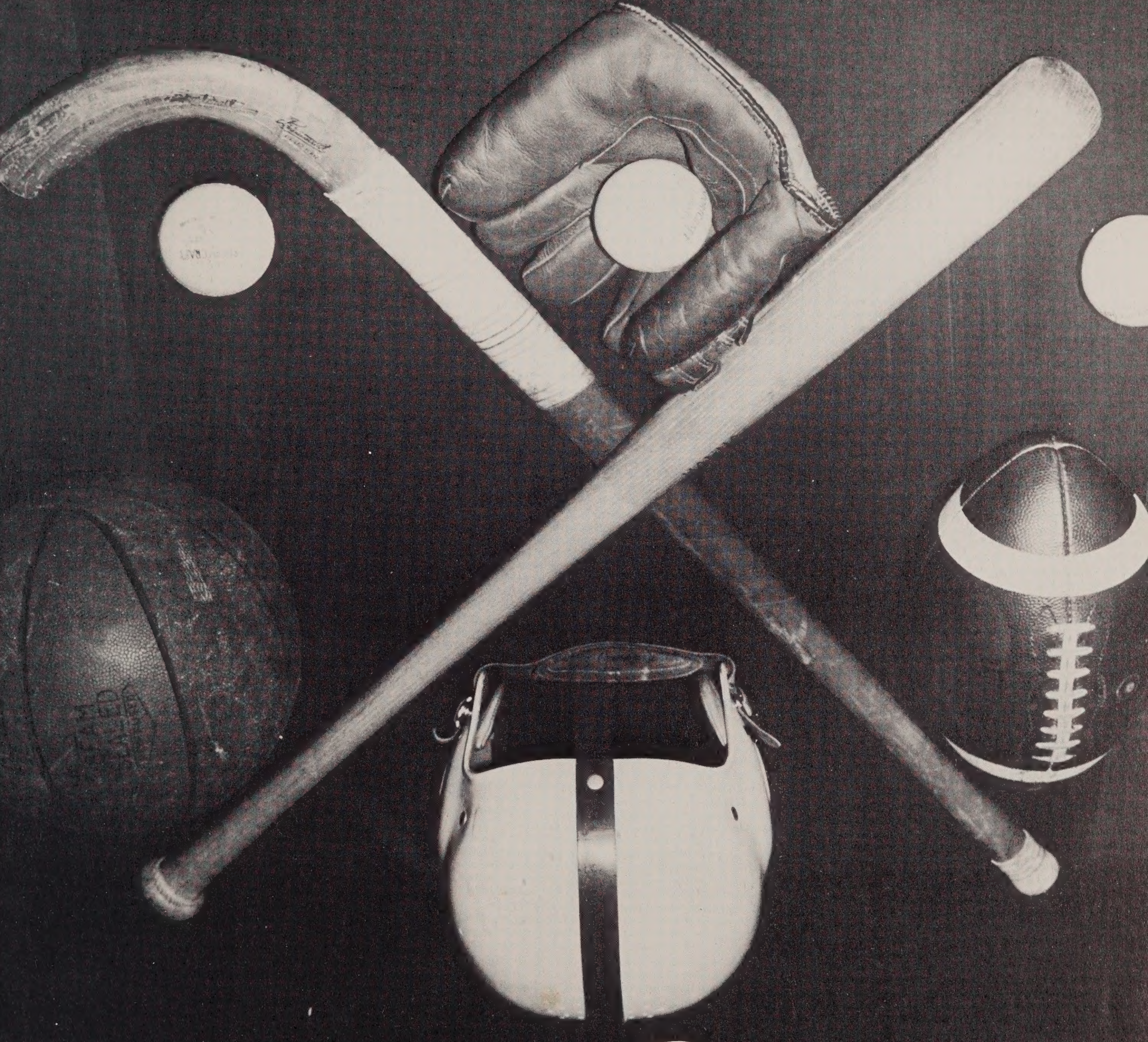
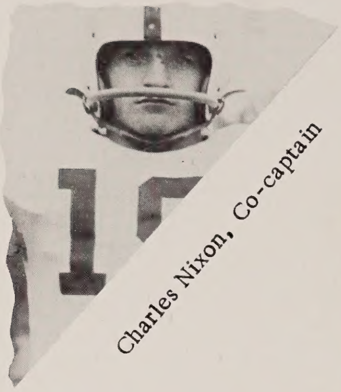


FIRST ROW, LEFT TO RIGHT: Mr. Weinbel, Sponsor; Bill Mallory, Fred Scott, Barbara Jacobs, Shirley Carpenter, Virginia Vaughan, Patty Bark, Judy Atkinson, Sharon Stout, Marshia Sprake, Betty Cox, Frank Edwards, Mrs. Bazzle, Sponsor. SECOND ROW: Jesse Lanehart, Luther Farinholt, Tommy Hunt, Linda Totty, Gladys Patrick, Bobbie Jean Lindsay, Peggy Boughton, Alma Cross, Rhoda Moyer. THIRD ROW: Charles Nixon, James Robertson, Betty Jump, Marjorie Clements, Carter Brooks, Barbara Meadows, Myrtle Hitchens, Judy Jones, Phyllis Garrett, Dave Bissett. FOURTH ROW: Kenneth Hogge, Lanny Smith, Read Bromleigh, Reba Hodge, Marianna Christian, Frances Score.

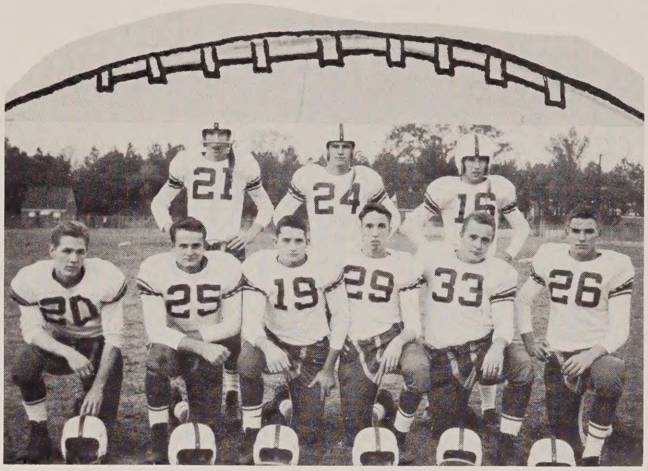


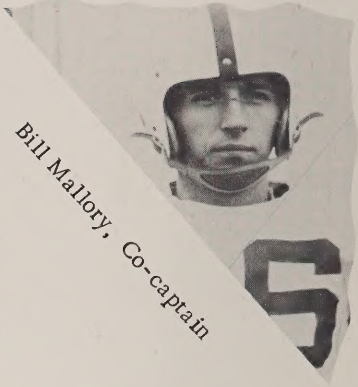
Sports

Football '55



Charles Nixon, Co-captain





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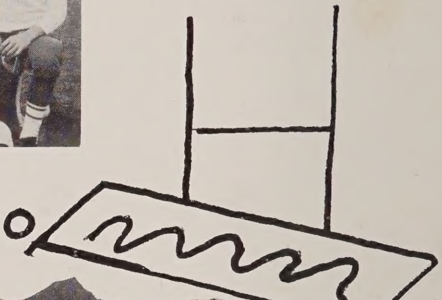

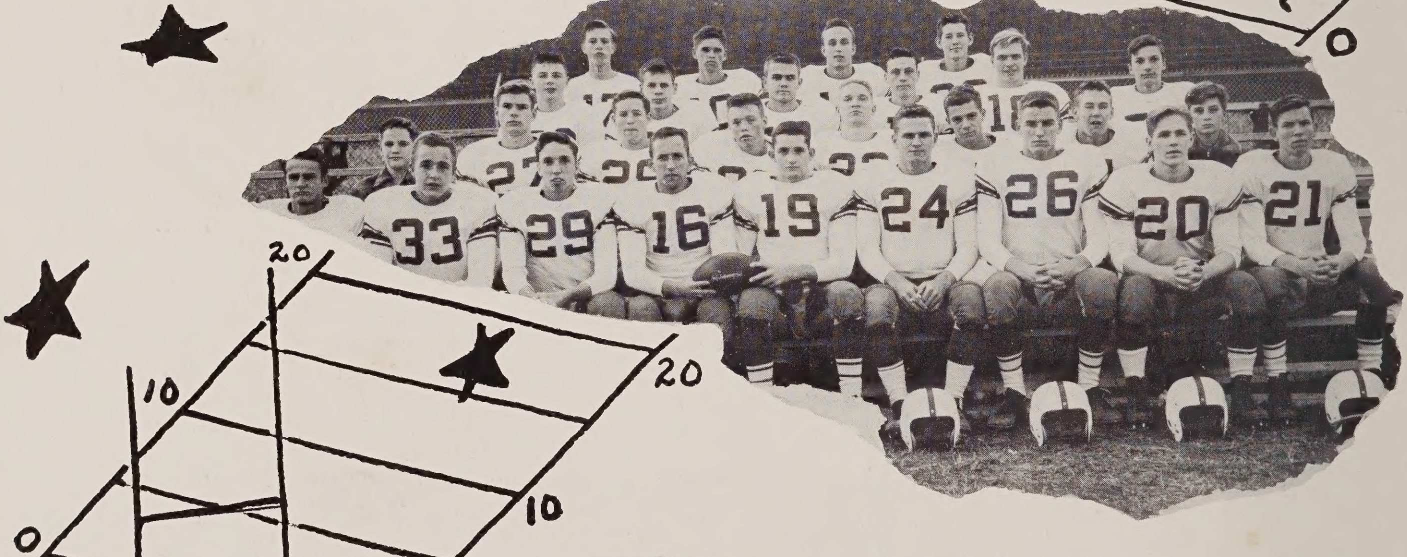

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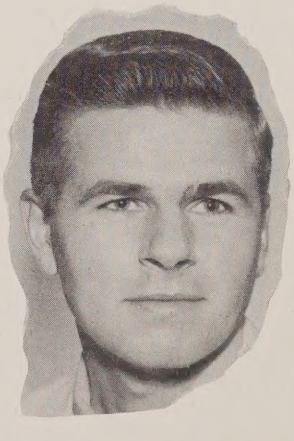
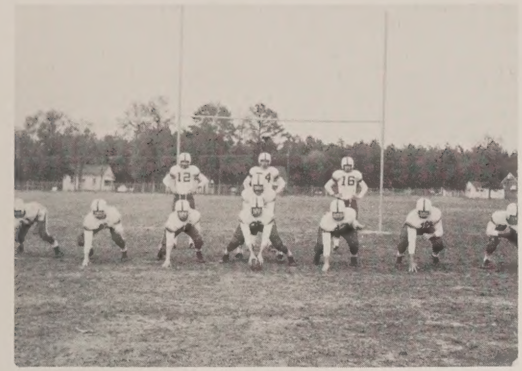


Coach Kenneth Weinbel

Date	Game	We	They
Sept. 24	West Point	34	13
Sept. 30	Gloucester	27	6
Oct. 7	Matthews	34	7
Oct. 15	Smithfield	0	7
Oct. 21	York	18	7
Oct. 28	Varina	34	7
Nov. 4	Prince George	48	0
Nov. 11	Poquoson	6	7
Nov. 18	Princess Anne	13	00



FIRST STRING
Backs: Hogge, Carpenter, Mallory, Hunt.
Line: Nixon, Lanehart, Hitchens, Robertson, Scott, Nixon, Edwards.

SECOND STRING
Backs: Allgood, Shires, West, Owen.
Line: Robertson, Armstrong, Roberts, Austin, Sullenberger, Noake, Holland, Farinholt, Douglas

Talking over the strategy. Edward Watts, Kenneth Weinbel, Joseph McGally.

Coach in pregame huddle with the backfield. Bill Mallory, Coach Weinbel, Tommy Hunt, Kenneth Hogge, Shirley Carpenter.

STADIUM SERVICE STATION

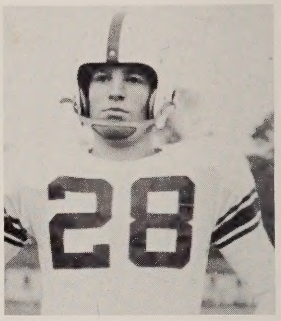
Larry Allgood
Halfback

Fred Armstrong
Tackle

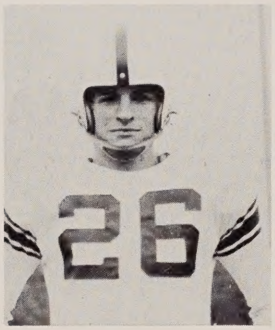
Jerry Austin
Guard

Shirley Carpenter
Fullback

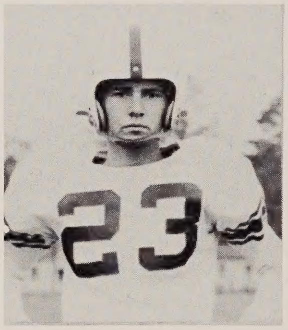
Bill Connelly
Quarterback



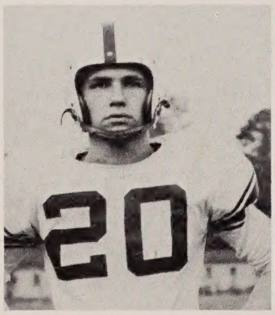
Clarence Douglas
End



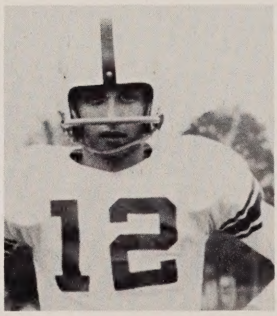
Frank Edwards
End



Luther Farinholt
Tackle



Bill Hitchens
Guard



Ken Hogge
Halfback

Tom Hunt
Quarterback

Bob Howard
Halfback

NOTTINGHAM PHARMACY & MATTHEWS ESSO STATION

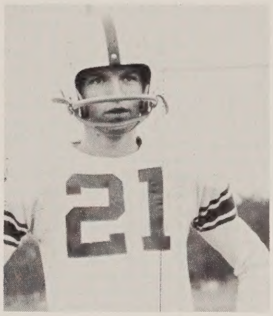
Jesse Lanehart
Tackle

Bill Mallory
Halfback

Charlie Nixon
Tackle

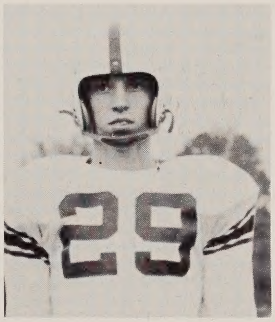
Jack Nixon
End

David Noake
Center



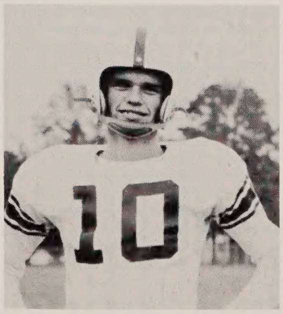
Calvin Owen
Fullback

Bill Roberts
End



James Robertson
Center

Fred Scott
Guard

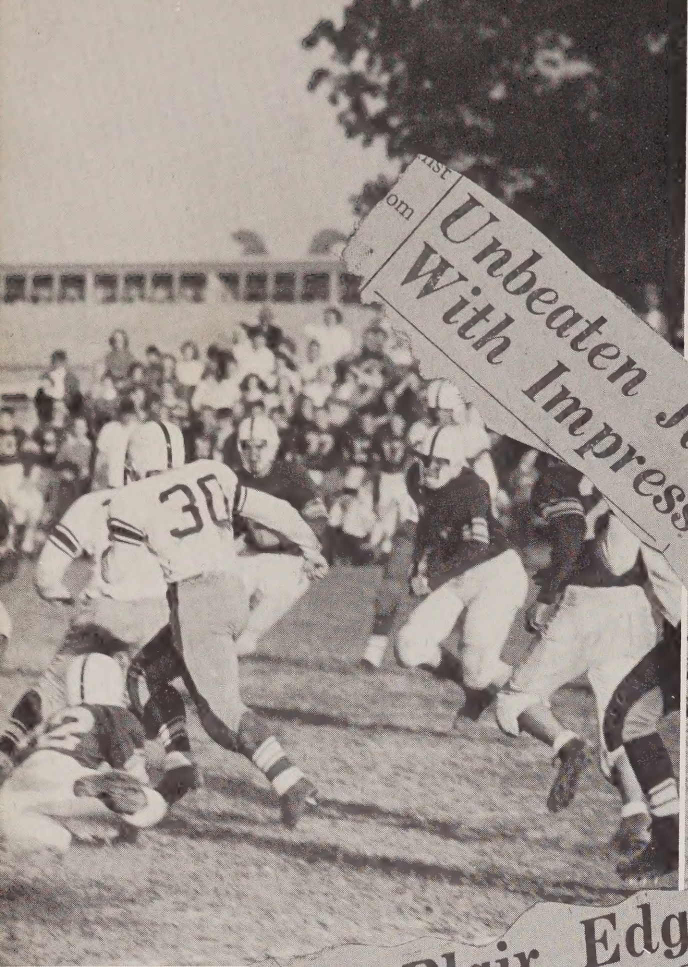


Bob Shires
Halfback

Lloyd Sullenberger
Center

Doug West
Fullback

PENINSULA BANK & TRUST CO.



Unbeaten James Blair Flattens Mathews
With Impressive 34-7 Victory On Friday

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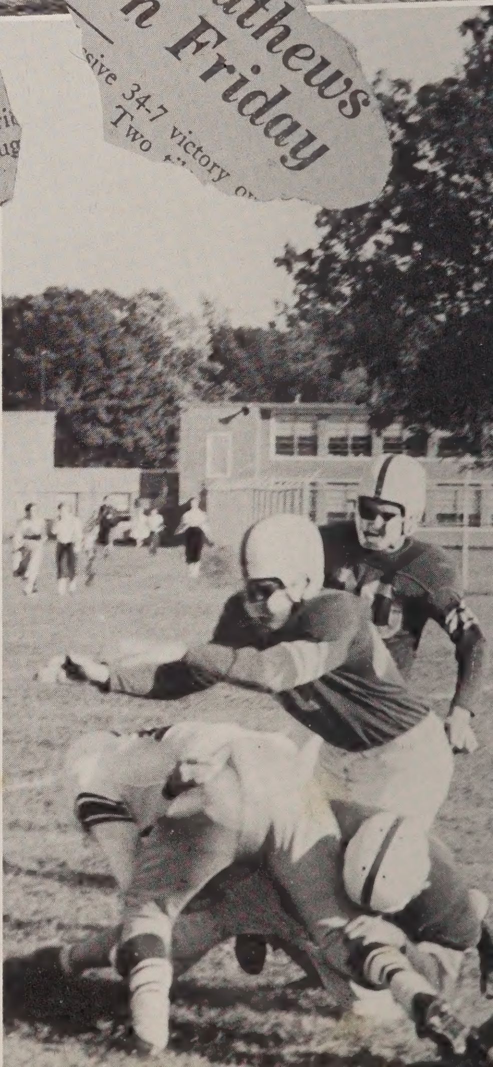
James Blair Edges York
For Fourth Win Of Season

Once-beaten James Blair notched its fourth win of the 1955 gri
by topping the York Falcons 18-7 in a rug
ome soil
break



Over at James Blair High School the pigskin season has got
off on one of the most cheerful notes in the history of Williamsb
scholastic football as the Blair gridders, under the tuteledge of Mer
Ken Weinbel, have registered three overwhelming triumphs aga
West Point, Gloucester and Mathews.

the season's opener, West Point took a 34-13 shel
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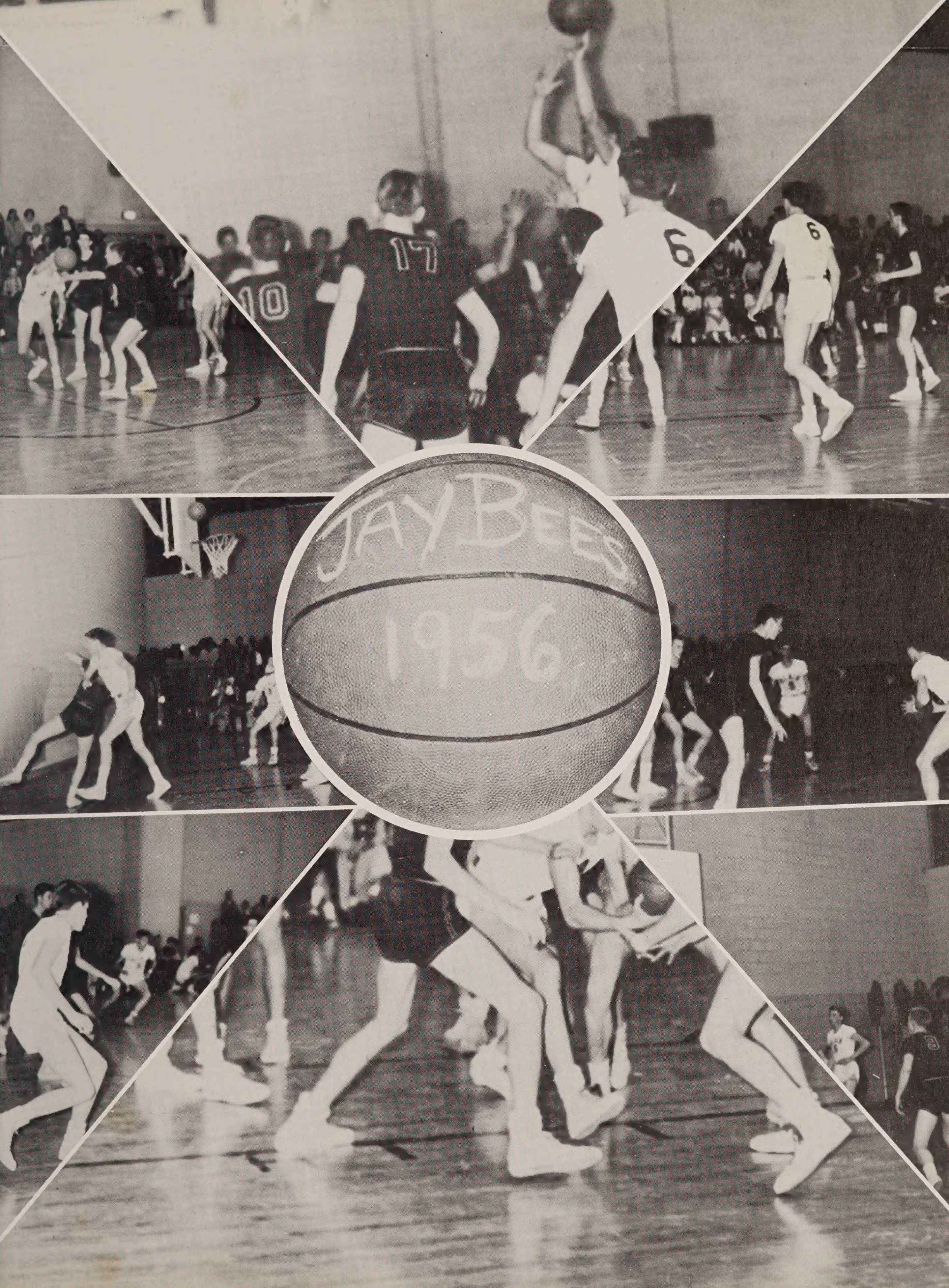
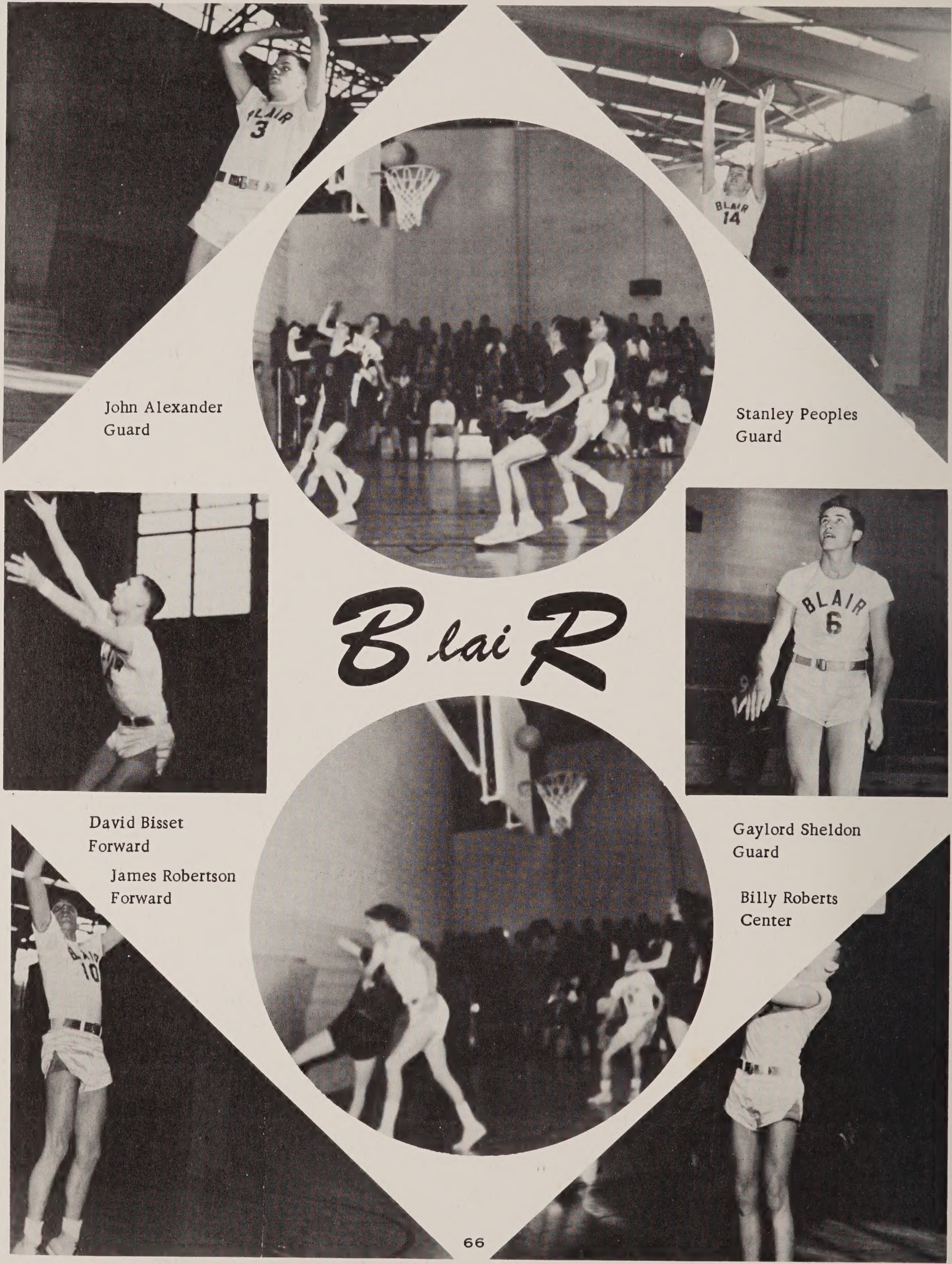

JAY BEES
1956



John Alexander
Guard

Stanley Peoples
Guard

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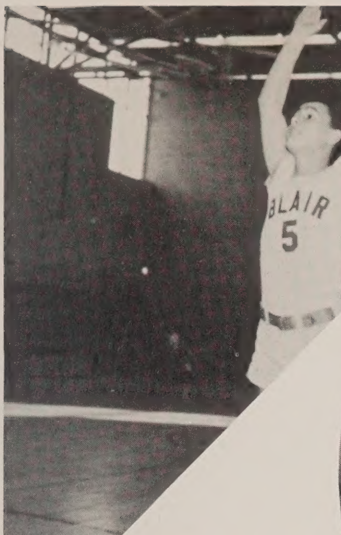
David Bisset
Forward

James Robertson
Forward

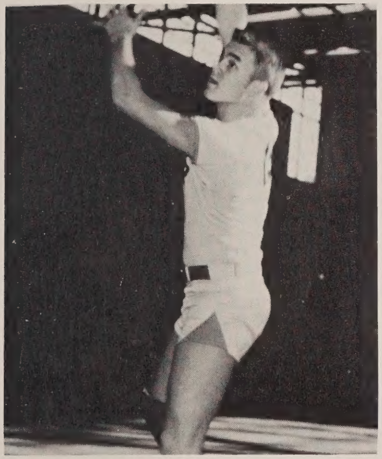
Gaylord Sheldon
Guard

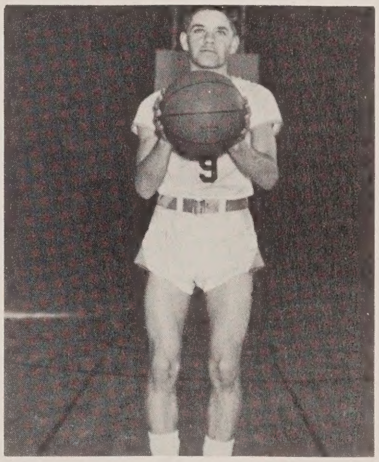
Billy Roberts
Center



Lanny Smith
Guard

Frank Edwards
Center





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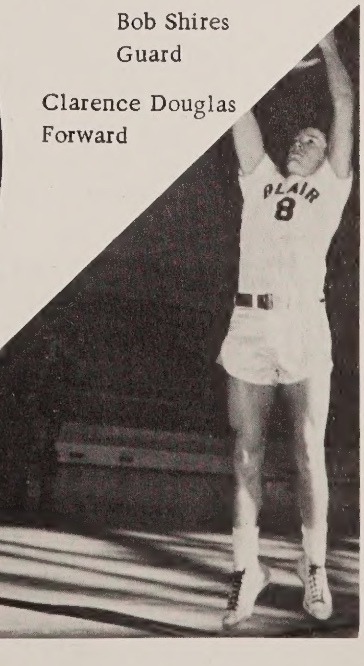
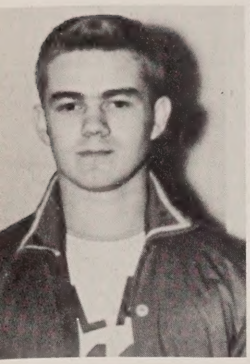
Tom Hunt
Forward

Rusty Troth
Forward

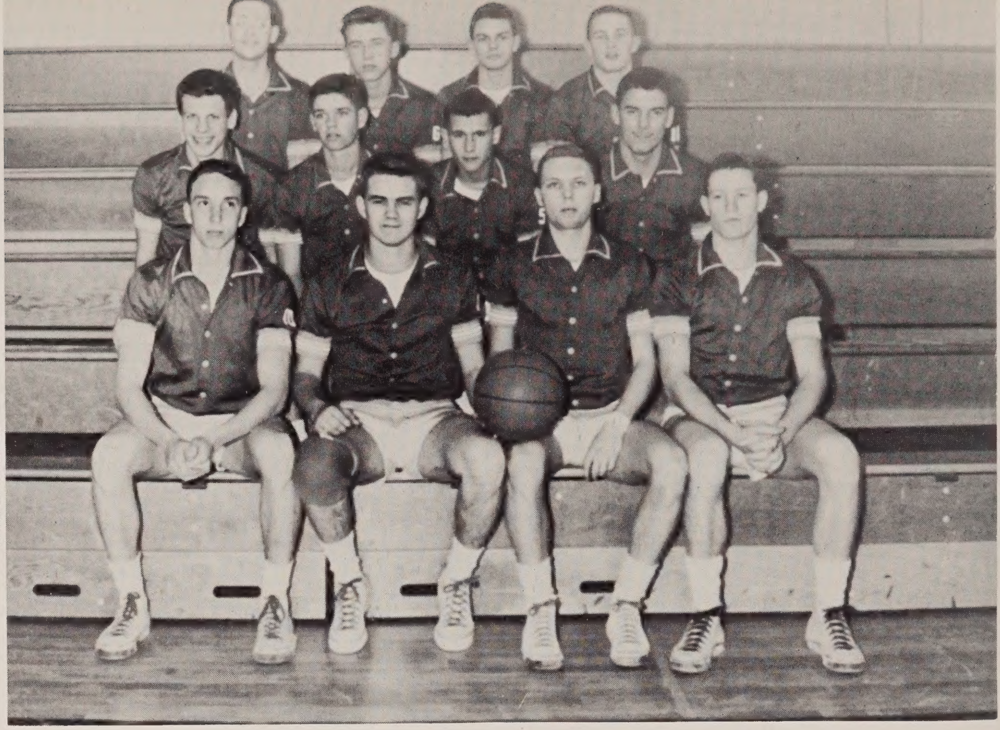
Bob Shires
Guard

Clarence Douglas
Forward





Tom Hunt
Co-Captain



David Bisset
Co-Captain

TEAM
FIRST ROW: Robertson, Hunt, Bisset, Douglas. SECOND ROW: Roberts, Shires, Smith, Edwards. THIRD ROW: Troth, Sheldon, Alexander, Peoples.

DATE	OPPONENT	WE	THEY
Dec. 16	Walsingham	66	34
Jan. 10	Prince George	50	44
Jan. 13	Franklin	31	40
Jan. 17	York	37	33
Jan. 20	Poquoson	51	58
Jan. 24	West Point	39	49
Jan. 27	Gloucester	39	43
Jan. 30	Prince George	62	58
Feb. 2	Smithfield	44	50
Feb. 7	York	44	69
Feb. 9	Alumni	52	53
Feb. 14	Gloucester	55	52
Feb. 16	Smithfield	36	52
Feb. 21	Poquoson	56	33
Feb. 24	Walsingham	62	36

FIRST STRING
Sheldon, Edwards, Douglas, Hunt, Shires, Bisset.

ED WATTS, Coach

SECOND STRING
Robertson, Roberts, Peoples, Smith, Troth, Alexander, Coach Watts.

BLAIR 10
BLAIR 15
BLAIR 12
BLAIR 5
BLAIR 4

SENIORS
Smith, Robertson, Troth, Edwards, Bisset.

"And watch for the pick off, then break," says Watts.

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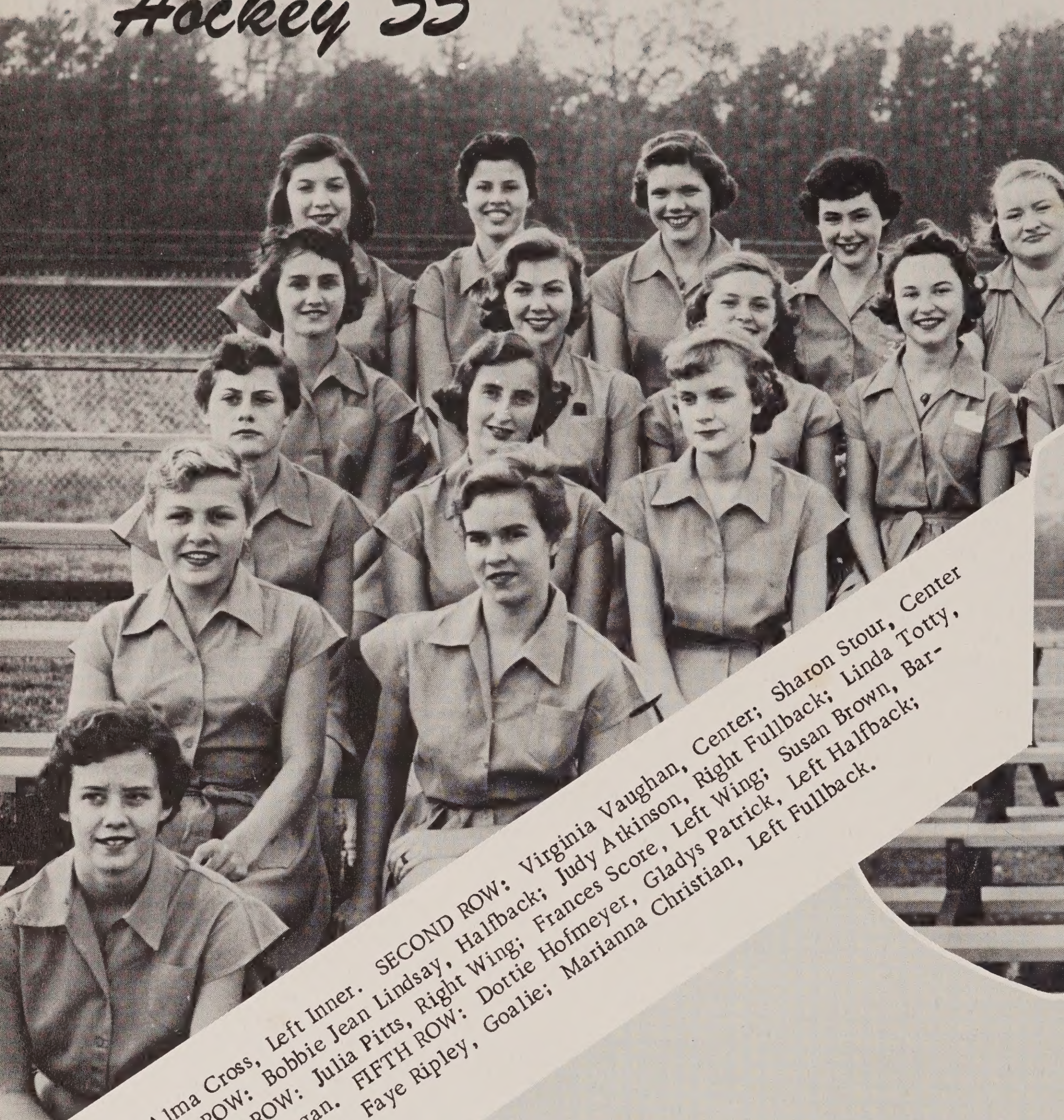
KEN WEINBELL, Coach

TEAM
FIRST ROW: McKown, Brown, Havola, Smith, Duane, Howard. SECOND ROW: Herbner, Sharp, Osborn, Baganakis, Douglas. THIRD ROW: Peach, Thompson, Matthews, Allgood.

Hockey '55



FRONT ROW: Alma Cross, Left Inner. SECOND ROW: Virginia Vaughan, Center; Sharon Stour, Center Halfback. THIRD ROW: Bobbie Jean Lindsay, Halfback; Judy Atkinson, Right Fullback; Linda Totty, Right Inner. FOURTH ROW: Julia Pitts, Right Wing; Frances Score, Left Wing; Susan Brown, Barbara Jayne, Carolyn Brenegan. FIFTH ROW: Dottie Hofmeyer, Gladys Patrick, Left Halfback; Betsy McCully, Gloria Runion, Faye Ripley, Goalie; Marianna Christian, Left Fullback.

Coach,
Lillian Bazzle

Practicing for a Game

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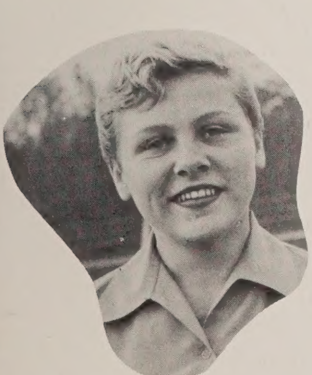
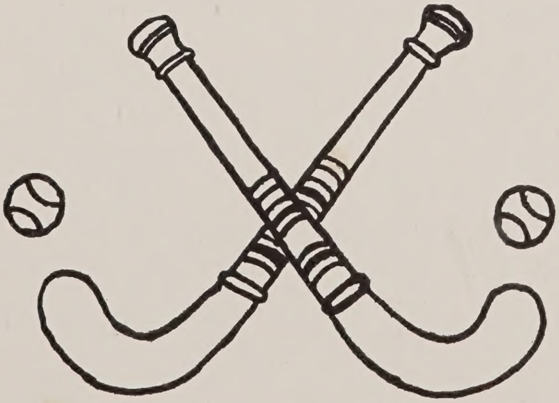
FERGUSON AND WHITE PRINT SHOP

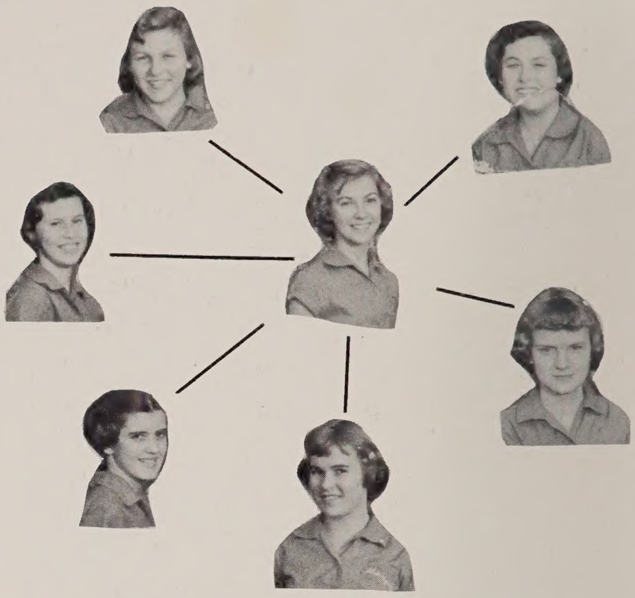


Sharon Stout, Co-captain

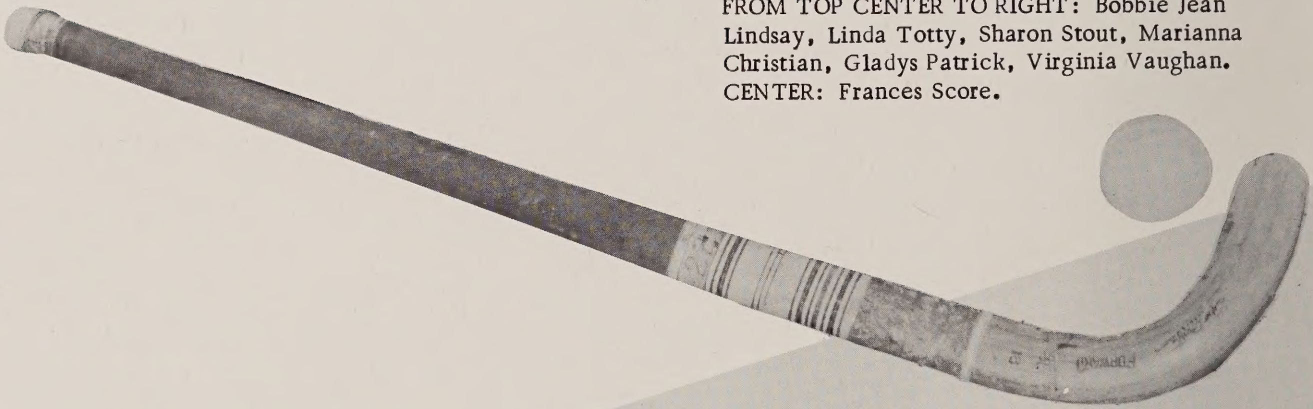


Virginia Vaughan, Co-captain

		WE	THEY
Oct. 19	Thomas Dale	4	0
Oct. 26	William & Mary	7	0
Nov. 10	St. Margaret	1	0
Nov. 15	St. Gertrude	3	1



FROM TOP CENTER TO RIGHT: Bobbie Jean Lindsay, Linda Totty, Sharon Stout, Marianna Christian, Gladys Patrick, Virginia Vaughan. CENTER: Frances Score.



WILLIAM E. HODGE,
CONTRACTOR

Alma Cross, Co-Captain

LILLIAN BAZZLE, Coach

Bobbie Jean Lindsay, Co-Captain

Girls

Francis Score
Forward

Phyllis Garrett
Guard

Bobbie Jean Lindsay
Forward

Virginia Vaughan
Forward

An important figure in the field of girls' sports at James Blair High School is Mrs. Lillian Bazzle. Her many roles include coaching the girls' basketball team and the girls' hockey team, teaching the girls' gym classes, teaching health, and also instructing drivers' education. Originally from West Virginia,

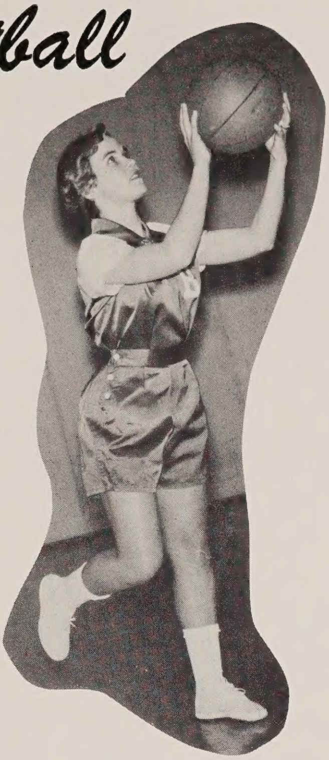
Gladys Patrick
Guard

Shirley Baker
Forward

WRAY AND RICHARDSON
B. A. HOWE'S MOTEL

Basketball

Alma Cross
Guard



Sharon Stout
Forward

Barbara Jean Pope
Guard

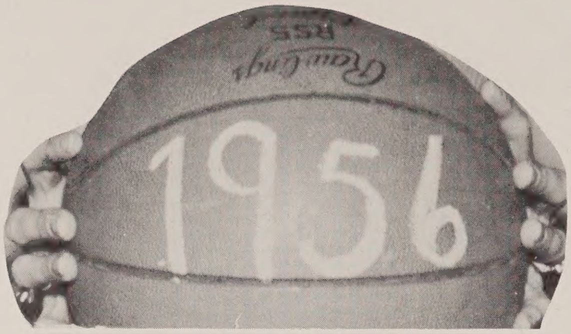
Mrs. Bazzle received her B. S. degree at Concord College there, and she later received her Masters Degree at West Virginia University. She has taught three years of Junior High School, one year of high school and two years of college.

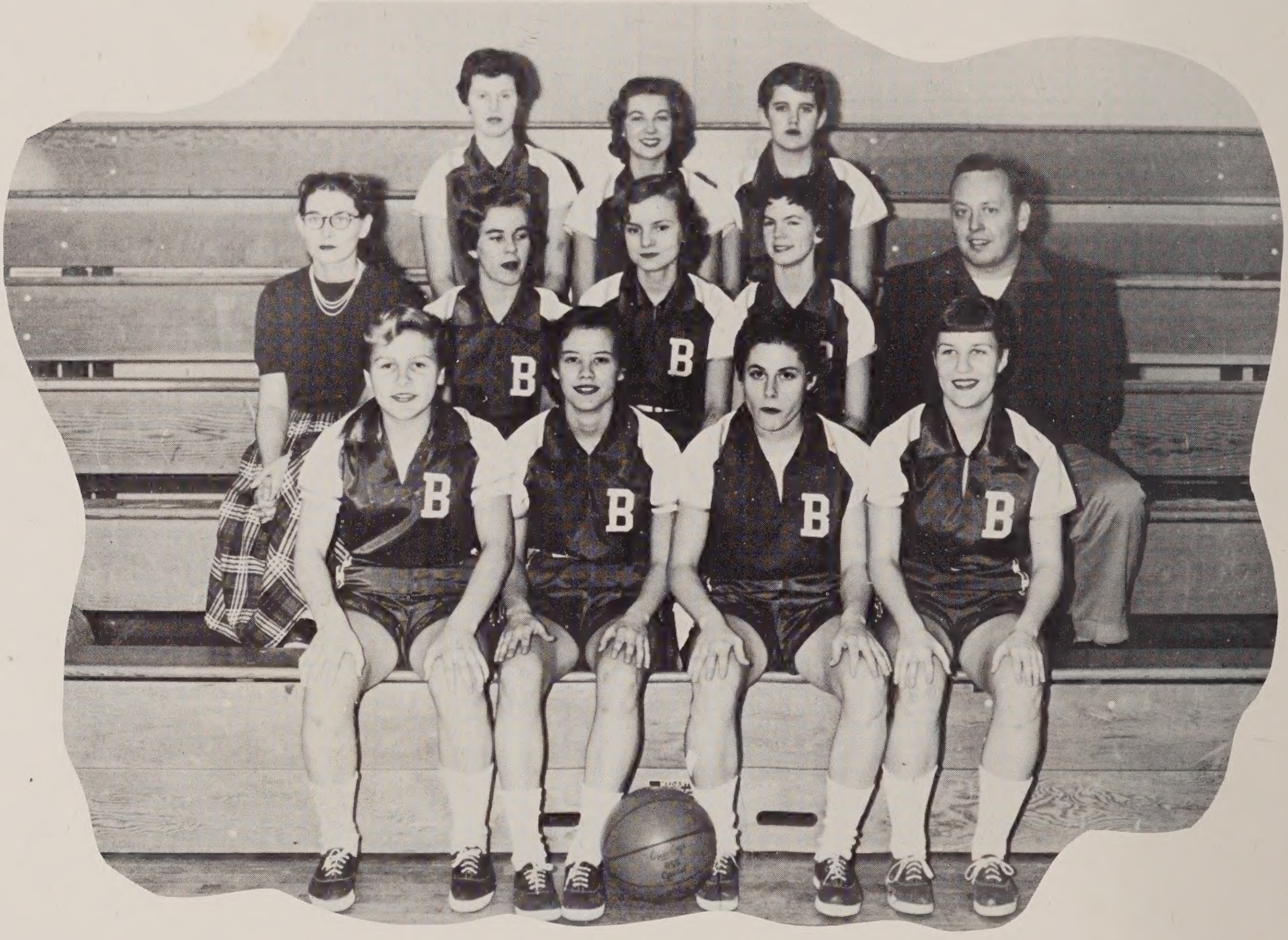
Marianna Christian
Guard

Linda Totty
Forward

F. W. WOOLWORTH
LIVERMAN AND BROTHERS

Blair's Team





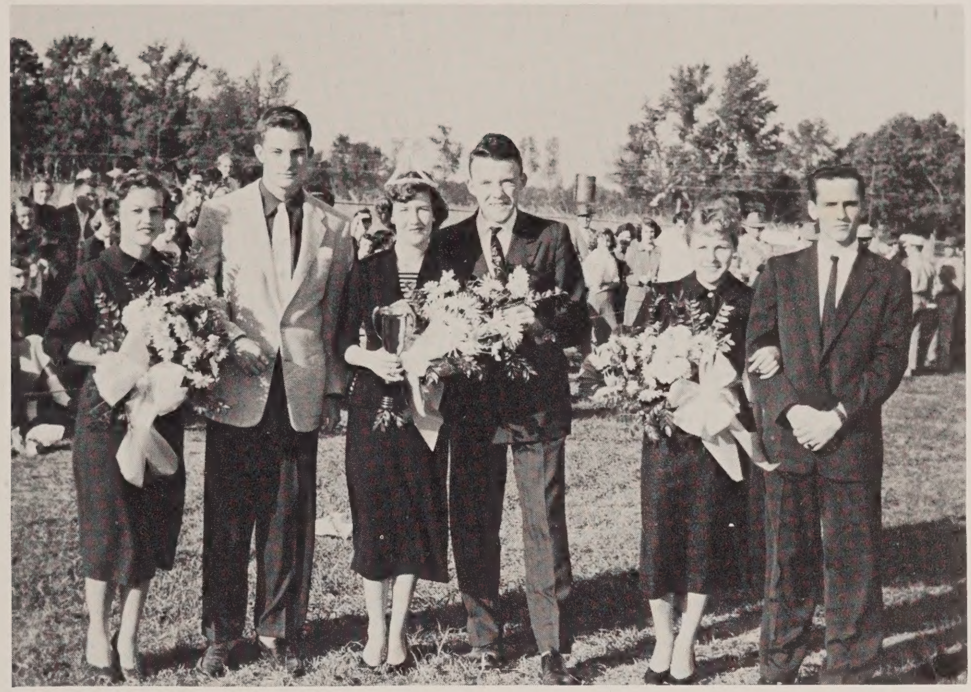
FIRST ROW: Virginia Vaughan, Alma Cross, Bobbie Jean Lindsay, Shirley Baker. SECOND ROW: Coach Bazzle, Sharon Stout, Linda Totty, Phyllis Garrett, Assistant Coach Ernie Bazzle. THIRD ROW: Gladys Patrick, Francis Score, Marianna Christian.

York	59	James Blair	36
Poquoson	40	James Blair	42
Gloucester	42	James Blair	35
York	24	James Blair	32
Alumni	17	James Blair	43
Gloucester	43	James Blair	40
Poquoson	27	James Blair	28

FAYE RIPLEY, Manager

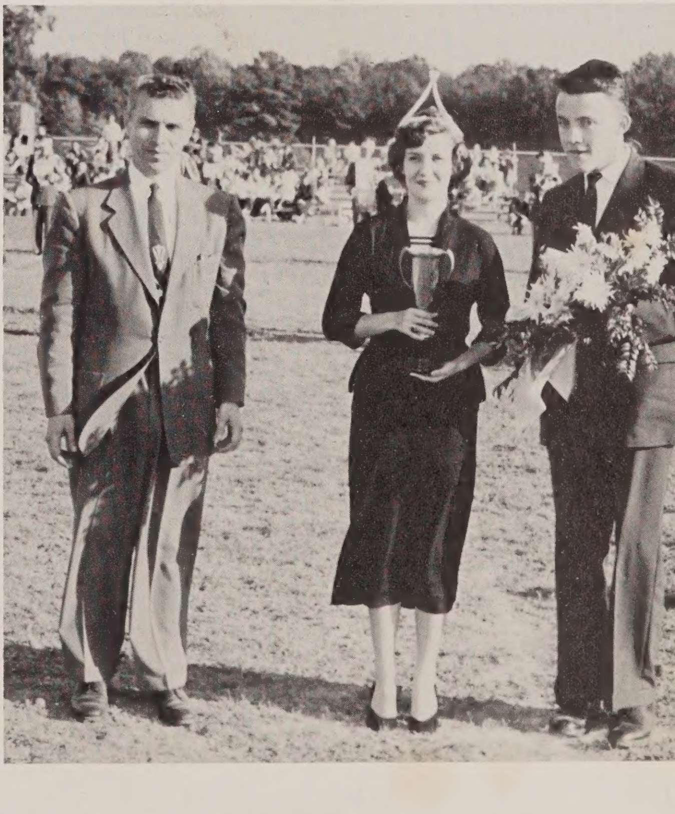
WILLIAMSBURG HARDWARE, CO.

Football Festival



ATTENDANT AND ESCORT: Barbara Jacobs and Carter Brooks. QUEEN AND ESCORT: Shirley Baker and Jean LeClerq. ATTENDANT AND ESCORT: Virginia Vaughan and Pete Sawyer.

Queen crowned by Principal, Mr. George Pitts.



Receiving cup from Mr. Pitts.

Shirley Baker, Co-captain for Football Season

Sponsors, Miss Spotswood Hunnicutt and Miss Norma Saunders.

James

Edith Waltrip

Barbara Pope

Faye Dula

Peggy Boughton

Shirley Baker

W. W. DAVIS CONTRACTOR
FORD'S GROCERIES

Betty Raye Cox, Captain for Basketball Season

Blair

Betty Raye Cox

Betty Jump

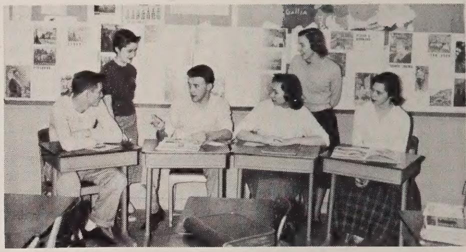
Marsha Sprake

Reba Hodge

MOODY OIL COMPANY
ROGER'S CLEANERS

CURRENT EVENTS CLUB

SCIENCE CLUB



FRENCH CLUB

The purpose of the Future Homemakers of America is to promote better living in the school, community, and family. This club is open to all grades and is the largest in our designated group of schools. One section meets on Thursdays. Each month the club plans some function such as skating parties, dances, inter-club meetings, and rallies. The Science Club is open only to the eighth and ninth grades. Its program is divided into three parts: Biology, Chemistry and Physics. Each section has a chariman who is in charge of the program. The club meets on Tuesday and usually has guest speakers or conducts various experiments. The Library Club consists of students who work in the library during their free periods in school. Among their jobs are to letter books, mend books, shelve books, enter magazines, and to take charge

FUTURE HOMEMAKERS OF AMERICA

Clubs

READING CLUB

BOYS' HOME ECONOMICS CLUB

TYPING CLUB

of the desk in the absence of the Librarian. The purpose of the Reading Club is to promote a greater appreciation and interest for reading among the students. The French Club consists of a group of French I and French II students who meet each Monday and converse in French. The purpose of the club is mainly to improve the students' power to speak and understand French. Jean LeClercq, a French foreign exchange student, leads the group. The Typing Club, sponsored by Miss Saunders gives its members a greater accuracy and knowledge of typing. The Current Events Club discusses the latest news events and makes its members more aware of the world around them.

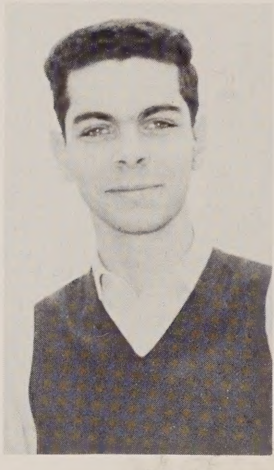
LIBRARY CLUB

Dramatics Club

Debbie Myers
PRESIDENT

Julia Pitts
TREASURER

Carol McCartney
SECRETARY



Bob Singleton
VICE PRESIDENT

DRAMATICS CLUB

THE VIRGINIA GAZETTE

Senior Baby Pictures

"Daffodil Dula"

Judy with Pet Kitten

"The Mad Fin"

"Bubbles" Bisset

Say "Pretty Please!"

Glamour Boy

"My Dog has Fleas!"

Bunny Boughton

Watch out for Radar

Libby

Betty and Friend

Our 3-Letter Man
Alias "Ferocious Frankie"

"Glamour Gal!"

"Luscious Lamar"

Senior Baby Pictures

"Hotrod Scott"

"Hold That Tiger"

"The Chocolate Kid"

"Steady, Betty"

"Nature Boy"

Penny wants to Bop

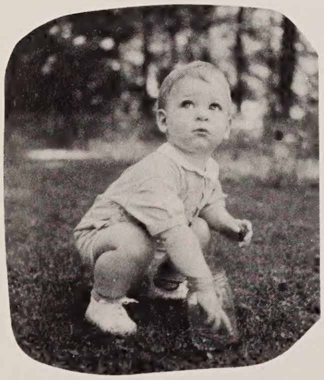
"Debbietant"

"Halt! Who Goes There?"

"Smile for the Birdie"

A true "Carpenter"

Susan and Company



"Who Stealed My Grasshopper!"

"Patty Cake"

Senor Boswell

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